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Planners blast Appeals Board

Accuse its members of nullifying town ordinances they disagree with

By MICHAEL DANIELS

The chairman of the Bethel Planning Board has written town selectmen expressing dissatisfaction with the town's Appeals Board.

Referring to the Appeals Board's June 24 decision to overrule the Planning Board and approve an internally lit sign from Bethel's Best restaurant (formerly Breaux's), Al Cressy wrote "The Planning Board is not only questioning the outcome of the appeal's process, but also the process that led up to the decision."

'It seems inappropriate that a Planning Board action is subject to a reversal at any time just because Appeals Board members may not like the respective ordinance.'

AL CRESSY
Chairman, Bethel Planning Board

Four Planning Board members attended the June 26 meeting, Cressy said, and they came away "dismayed over the process of the meeting."

Cressy accused the Appeals Board members of, in effect, nullifying ordinances, or parts of ordinances, with which they happened to disagree.

Cressy wrote: "As the record shows, despite comments made such as, 'I think you did your end perfectly' and 'no criticism from here' in reference to the Planning Board, the appellants' request to overturn the application denial was upheld by the Appeals Board. The

'I despise the Sign Ordinance to begin with.'

HARRY FAULKNER
Chairman, Bethel Appeals Board

Appeals Board's decision seemed to be based primarily on the board's dissatisfaction with the Sign Ordinance. The Planning Board believes that the Appeals Board is obligated to uphold the intent of the town's ordinances voted on by the town's voters, not to indicate how unfair an ordinance is. In summary, the board neither articulated its basis for the decision to uphold the appellants' appeal, nor documented the decision in a Findings of Fact.

"It seems inappropriate that a Planning Board action is subject to a reversal at any time just because Appeals Board members may not like the respective ordinance."

At the June 26 meeting Appeals Board members Francis Dumont, Dr. Lennie Shaw and chairman Harry Faulkner all criticized various aspects of the current Sign Ordinance — prompting planner Suzi

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Coming-and-going pedal power



Evan Boelsma of West Bethel shows his faith in his dad, Andy's, navigation as they set off on a fore-and-aft tandem recumbent bicycle, at the 15th annual Maine Bike Rally. The three-day event was based at Gould Academy and offered a variety of rides and programs for all ages. A bicycle safety clinic was presented Saturday afternoon, followed by an ice cream social and then a three-mile bike parade. Many local families participated. Bicycles of every type and size were available for participants to view and ride. Included was an exhibit presented by the Maine chapter of the "Wheelmen," a club that collects antique bicycles and memorabilia of a bygone era. Saturday evening was capped off with an exciting slide show in Bingham Auditorium, presented by Marty Basch, chronicling his 5,198-mile bicycle trip from Maine to Alaska. An award-winning journalist, Basch has written a popular book about the experience, called "Against the Wind." Proceeds from last year's rally, which was also held in Bethel, were used to purchase and place the bike racks that are now at both ends of the pathway at Davis Park. Next year's Bike Rally will be held in Belfast. Information about it can be found at the event's sponsor, Bicycle Coalition of Maine's, Web site; www.bikemaine.org.

(Photo by Jeanne Boelsma)

Population shifts will force some changes in makeup of SAD44 Board

By ALISON ALOISIO

The SAD44 School Board learned Monday the district must decide whether to eliminate one director each from Newry, Greenwood and Andover.

Weighted votes on the board must be reapportioned as a result of population changes reflected in the 2000 census, Supt. Dave Murphy said. The 17-member board must either realign the votes among the existing directors, or eliminate the three seats.

The Commissioner of Education has informally recommended eliminating seats, Murphy said. But, he said, a local reapportionment committee would need to study the issue and make its own recommendation. As long as any plan proposed locally met the required parameters, the commissioner's office would likely approve it, he said.

The current distribution of directors and weighted votes is as follows: Bethel, six seats with 71 votes each; Woodstock, three seats with 72 votes each; Greenwood, three seats with 42 votes each; An-

dover, three seats with 58 votes each; and Newry, two seats with 29 votes each.

According to the 2000 census, Andover and Bethel's percentage of the total SAD44 population dropped, while Greenwood, Newry and Woodstock's increased.

State suggests dropping three directors and increasing voting power of others to reflect new balance

The local committee will be appointed by town officials and SAD44 board chair Kelly Scotti. Its makeup must include a school director, municipal officer and citizen at large from each town. The committee must make a recommendation within 90 days of its first meeting, which has been scheduled for Aug. 11.

If the committee did elect to reduce the board to 14 members, some remaining board members would hold more individual voting power. For example, the one remaining Newry director would have 60 votes, compared to the current 29 each for two directors.

Any reduction in board numbers would be accomplished by voluntary resignation as the first choice, said Murphy. Failing that, if a regular election for board seats was scheduled to take place anyway within 30 days, the number of seats would be reduced for that vote. If the regular election were further into the future, members from the town would draw lots.

The SAD44 board has used the weighted voting method since the late 1980s.

Board elects officers

In annual election of officers, the board Monday reelected Kelly Scotti as chair, Becky Cummings as vice-chair and Lainey Cross as vice chair pro tempore.

High-tech data will help to paint a new picture of Woodstock

By ALISON ALOISIO

At the touch of a computer key, Woodstock may soon be able to call up a list of lakefront property owners, an inventory of road areas prone to erosion, or small businesses that use hazardous materials.

The town was one of six in Western Maine that qualified for a \$4,000 matching grant to do geographic information systems (GIS) mapping. The grant comes through the Androscoggin Valley Council of Governments (AVCOG), from the U.S. Department of Agriculture.

Qualifying, however is a mixed blessing: it means the town has a median household income of less than 80 percent of the rest of the country.

The funds will go toward the purchase of GIS computers and software. Town officials are currently considering what kinds of information might be useful for them to have at their computer fingertips.

"Your imagination is the limit on what you can do with it," said Geoff Inman, Woodstock's emergency management director.

Some basic GIS information, such as natural resource protection areas, is already available to AVCOG member towns. The grant would provide for the entry of additional information into a town database.

Woodstock will have up to two years to compile the computer-based information, according to Ferg Lea of the Androscoggin Valley Council of Governments. AVCOG officials could enter it, or town officials could receive training, he said.

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Father and son pen tales of pinned tails and 'waiting for the deer'

By ALISON ALOISIO

"When you become a permanent resident of Albany camp, you have to read and sign the agreement pertaining to the cutting of shirtnails. The agreement states that if you, the hunter, shoot at and do not successfully kill a deer, then the rest of the camp dwellers will cut a one-inch-by-one-inch square from the tail of your shirt, and then you have to nail it to the wall, sign it, and date it."

"This is a tradition that has gone on since the time camp has been in existence at Albany. There are a lot of shirtnails nailed to that one section of wall, and a lot of stories to go with them."

Bethel natives Tom Remington and his son, Steve, didn't set out to write a book in the fall of 2002. Steve had simply been trying to get some people to respond to his Internet message board, which he had set up for fun to talk about a variety of subjects.

When no one bit on the "hunting" topic, Steve posted his own thoughts:

"I found that I enjoyed the 'waiting for the deer to come to me' better than going after them. This, it

appears, is one reason why I never had many opportunities to eat venison in the winter, because 99 percent of the time while sitting, I never saw deer," he wrote.

Tom saw the posting, and responded with a memory of his own. He told how Clarence, his father, shot a rather small deer (100 pounds) one season. Determined to make it look more impressive, he wired the antlers from a large 10-point buck he had shot years earlier to the head of the 100-pounder. He then hung the doctored deer in his yard for the benefit of Tom's uncle. "Oh, the look on Uncle Chet's face," wrote Tom.

Tom and Steve continued to post their hunting memories, even though no one else joined in. But, when they stopped writing for a while, "We started getting responses — 'please, more stories,'" Tom said.

Unbeknownst to them, relatives and friends, as well as strangers, from all over the country had been reading the anecdotes.

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Selectmen take wait-and-see position on Concord Pond dam

By ALISON ALOISIO

Woodstock selectmen Tuesday backed off, at least for now, from a plan to apply for a permit to restore a structure at Concord Pond that many people say served as a dam.

The new president and secretary-treasurer of the Concord Pond Association, Brad Clarke and Doug Alford, met with the board to discuss the problem of low water levels in the pond.

Many pond residents have said the low levels in recent years stem from the disappearance of a 50-year-old wood and rock dam from the pond's outlet.

At the recent annual meeting of the association, said Clarke, an overwhelming majority of members said they wanted the structure

fixed to restore the water levels.

But property owners who abut the outlet on one side strongly oppose rebuilding the structure, Clarke said.

Because it is not officially recognized as a dam by the state, the Department of Environmental Protection cannot intervene.

At the selectmen's last regular meeting, they had voted to still seek a permit by rule to do work on the structure in the water, hoping to establish some formal justification for restoration. At that time, they had information that the dam might have been deliberately removed.

But selectman Steve Bies said Tuesday, following an inspection

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Letters

DISREGARD FOR THE TRUTH

To the Editor:

In response to the article "Developer's rights suit rejected" on July 10, this is another attempt by Mr. Daniels and Mr. Cole to disregard the truth about this project.

The Maine Human Rights Commission had nothing to do with the dismissal of this complaint. Ms. Ryan, executive director, made this decision without legal council, and she is not a lawyer.

I submitted 440 pages of evidence to Ms. Ryan and the investigator, Ms. Clark. Their decision to dismiss was based on only two pages of the material.

My constitutional, human, nor civil rights are not the issue for the Human Rights Commission. The issue is: Was the discrimination based on the fact I am a woman?

I wish that Mr. Daniels could look into the validity of what he prints. My application was found to be complete by the Planning Board on Aug. 26, 2002 and denied Oct. 23, 2002.

I attended 19 meetings, not several, as Mr. Cole would have you believe. Mr. Cole stated that the dismissal vindicated the town's handling of the affair. This is not even close to the truth, a federal court with 12 jurors will decide the case. My lawyer informs me that to get into this court will take 9.3 months and then almost as long as trial.

If anyone would like to see the letters of dismissal from the Human Rights Commission's executive director, Ms. Patricia Ryan, and investigator, Ms. Susan Clark, to decide for yourself the truth, my phone number is 836-2827. I'll send it to you.

Darlene Corriveau
Developer

(Reply: The letter writer correctly states that her application was in fact found complete in August of 2002. It was the site plan for the project that was found incomplete and denied the following month. She is further correct in stating that the complaint to the Human Rights Commission was based on the allegation of sexual discrimination, not the broader charges of constitutional, human and civil right violations she has made elsewhere. The Citizen regrets the errors.

The full text of a June 30 letter from Patricia Ryan to Corriveau, regarding her claim of sexual discrimination, follows:

Dear Ms. Corriveau:

Thank you for providing a response to my letter to you of June 3, 2003. I have read your letter and reviewed the file. I have specifically reviewed the charge of discrimination you submitted on November 25, 2002, the responses to the charge by the Town of Bethel, and your rebuttal to those responses including 14 exhibits you submitted. I have looked closely at exhibits 1 and 3 which you reference in your latest letter. I find that I must administratively dismiss your charge for failure to substantiate a complaint of sex discrimination.

While you state that you believe that you were treated differently because of your sex, your discussions and arguments about this attribute motivations to areas not covered or regulated by the Maine Human Rights Act, and not to your sex. These are discussed in Investigator Clark's memo to me requesting administrative dismissal. In addition, the project you most closely compare yours to by type was submitted by a woman, and approved.

I am sorry we are unable to continue an investigation. Final closure letters will be sent to the parties shortly. Of course, any individual may file a lawsuit in Superior Court, alleging a violation of the Maine Human Rights Act, regardless of any decision by the commission.

Patricia E. Ryan
Executive Director, Maine Human Rights Commission

THANKS FOR VILLAGE WORK

To the Editor:

I would like to publicly thank the Greenwood Town Office for responding very speedily to my request to provide crosswalks at several locations in the village. This request was supported by Chris and Charlotte at the store, Carrie and Donna at the Post Office and Chuck, who crosses the street several times a day to take Beauty for her walks. The newly painted crosswalks at the Round Pond Store and at the Post Office will make walking more pleasant, and hopefully safer. Greenwood's newly elected selectman, Ivan Roberts, took particular initiatives in moving this project along, and I am sure he, and Town Manager Carol Whitman, will make sure Maine Department of Transportation follows through with promised signage.

Motorists passing through Locke Mills Village will hopefully take note of the speed limit of 35, and the fact that it is state law to stop for pedestrians in the crosswalks. Moving a bit slower will give folks a chance to admire the improvements in the village. The store and the Marshall's apartment building look great, the mill parking lot is full once again, Rick has some great looking bikes at his shop, the coffee dam will soon be constructed and the Cinnamon Stick is a lively place, with excellent food.

Cathy Newell
Greenwood

SPECIAL OLYMPICS THANKS

To the Editor:

I would like to extend a huge thanks to all who participated in the Special Olympics fundraiser at Irving Gas stations on June 28. Specifically, thanks to West Paris Old Home Days for donating the dunk tank, Dane Tripp for organizing efforts in South Paris and Bethel, all the police officers who volunteered to pump gas for the day and all the teams, coaches and athletes who participated in the day.

Maine and Oxford County are proud to have such charitable organizations providing such support to our athletes. We hope to continue this partnership for years to come.

Cara M. Maloney
Oxford County Area Manager

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APPRECIATION FOR A GRINDING, ALL CONSUMING JOB

To the Editor:

This letter is written to publicly thank Mrs. Arlene Greenleaf for her years of tireless service as director of the Bethel Ambulance Service. A reliable system to handle medical emergencies is a cornerstone of modern, quality life in any community. Arlene's efforts in the past 20 years have formed our cornerstone in Bethel.

The sirens, lights and bustle of people hurrying to help other people constitute the visible product of an ambulance director's work. Most of that work is unseen. It includes checking quantities, measuring, reordering things, fixing, calling in repairs, calibrating, researching ideas, scheduling, record keeping, training, counseling others, disciplining, and more.

The director also attends varied, and numerous meetings where plans are made, needs are forecasted, and the public treasure is allocated to meet those needs. The director must attend those meetings, week in/week out, month in/month out, year in/year out.

Such is the lot of the ambulance director. Over the years the town has paid Arlene only a nominal stipend for her time, but I'm sure she feels that it is a privilege to serve. Nevertheless, the position is a grind. It is all consuming.

Please take a moment to consider how the ambulance director's work is the underpinning that allows medical help to get where it is needed, when it is needed. Then, let Arlene Greenleaf know that her toils in creating a cornerstone of Bethel are appreciated.

Scott G. Cole
Bethel Town Manager

CAR SHOW SATURDAY

To the Editor:

The 3rd annual Telstar Car Show will be held this Saturday, July 19, from 9 a.m. to 2 p.m. on the fields of Telstar. All monies raised at this event are used for many special events for the students of Telstar. We are also planning to begin a scholarship, which will go to students at Telstar who will be furthering their education at a technical school.

A new addition to the show this year will be the HOG show, otherwise known as the Harley Owners Group. They will be showing off their Harley's on the fields of Telstar from 10 to noon during the car show.

We would like to take the time to thank the car show committee. We are very fortunate to have a very dedicated group of people to work with and they are greatly appreciated for their hard work and dedication. We give our unending thanks to Linda Howe for her undying heart and belief of her dream that a car show would be possible one day on the fields of Telstar. Because of her endless efforts this dream has become a reality.

Two local diehard car enthusiasts, Ken Cole and Grayson Wakefield, have also helped to make the dream of a car show at Telstar a reality. Their efforts and many talents have been tremendous all the way through the many planning and brainstorming sessions that have been had over the last three to four years. They are absolutely the greatest, and their support is always felt.

Thanks to Jim Lunney and the softball team who have stepped forward to supply the show with refreshments of many kinds from traditional morning fare, grilled items at lunchtime, and iced cold drinks.

We thank Western Maine Transportation and Jim Largess who has coordinated the shuttle service for us during the running of the car show. Many warm thanks to the many efforts of the following supporters in the many ways and the many hours that they have spent working on the details of the car show.

Enormous appreciation to Frank and Gloria Burgess of the Knucklebusters who have become our comrades, thanks to Gina Douglas for her much needed capabilities, and thanks go to Dusty who is a member of the show committee.

Thanks go to Jim Swan for the many hours spent painting row markers and directional signage for the car show with the detail of an artist. Also, many thanks to Dave Murphy for his continued support. Thanks to Bob, Jon and Seth.

The Telstar High School and Middle School students will benefit from your support. Please come on out and see the many beautiful, shiny, classic, antique cars and trucks on the fields of Telstar this Saturday. You'll have a great time at the show.

See you under the big top.

Marilyn Swan, Brenda Wight, and Susan Gordon
Telstar Tri-Presidents

LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

The Citizen welcomes letters to the editor. We hope our readers will regard the Opinion Page of the newspaper as a public forum for discussing any topic they believe to be of interest to the community.

Insofar as possible, we attempt to publish letters without alteration, but we do reserve the right to edit for length, libel, taste and readability.

We do not knowingly publish letters that have been submitted to other newspapers, letters to third parties or letters that endorse products. We do not publish letters that are unsigned. These guidelines will be waived, however, when doing so is deemed to be in the community's interest.

In situations where the letter writer has a political, economic, familial or other relationship that could be perceived as bearing on the topic addressed in the letter, we strongly suggest the writer make that relationship known in the text of the letter or after their signature.

In cases where the writer chooses not to do so, the editor reserves the right to make the relationship known. The decision as to whether a given relationship is in fact relevant shall lie solely with the editor. In questionable cases we will disclose the relationship and allow our readers to judge the relevance for themselves.

When writing, please include your full name, signature, address and telephone number (so that we may verify authorship).

The deadline for letters to the editor is 4:30 p.m. Monday. Letters submitted after that deadline will be considered for publication when circumstances permit.

Send your letters to: Editor, Bethel Citizen, PO Box 109, Bethel, ME 04217-0109. Fax: 824-2426; E-mail: news@bethelcitizen.com.

GIS

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One possible use of the GIS technology is the establishment of better records on road maintenance, Lea said. For example, inventories on ditching, pavement and culvert work and areas prone to erosion could be compiled. And, he said, "Anything in the database can be labeled on a (computerized) map."

In addition, an inventory of building permits could be created for use by the code enforcement officer, said Lea.

The Fire Department could com-

pile an inventory of small businesses in town that use hazardous materials, a useful piece of information in the event of a fire.

Lea said Norway has digitized all of its property parcels. Recently, he said, the town had to send out a notice to lakefront property owners. A list was quickly generated from the database.

Use of GIS mapping can generally give officials a better idea of what is happening in their town, and help them to set priorities and spend money more efficiently, he

said.

Some data has already been compiled as part of the town's Comprehensive Plan process, said Lea. He has previously met with selectmen to discuss data options and priorities, but said he plans to meet with other town officials, including the code enforcement officer, for further input.

Town officials would then decide what types of data are most useful, and proceed from there with the GIS project.

Dam

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of the site by selectmen and the gathering of more information, that it appeared the dam "had just deteriorated, not been removed." As a result, he said, "I'm not as ready to move."

Even if the structure was rebuilt, said selectman Leon Poland, the town cannot really predict what might happen to the water level. If,

as a compromise, the structure was rebuilt to a lower level than the original, he said, there might be no increase in water levels. The pond might back up into adjacent low-lying areas instead of rising, Poland said.

The town and association officials decided to consult informally with an engineer about the effect of

building a structure.

They also agreed that the association officials were in a better position than the selectmen to hold any discussions with the outlet abutters. Brad Clarke succeeds Roland Pelletier, who served as president of the association for many years.

From the Bethel Police Log:

Thursday, July 10

At 8:45 p.m. an off-duty officer observed a car and a motorcycle racing across Lincoln Street. The car executed a burnout, pulling onto the Parkway with the bike following close behind. Both accelerated rapidly to the Parkway/Route 2 intersection, where they again accelerated rapidly and pulled into a parking lot. The officer identified himself to the two subjects, and they provided him with their driver's licenses. An on-duty officer was called, and Richard M. Steele, 25, of Jefferson, N.H. and Andrew B. Baker, 18, of Shelburne, N.H. were issued summonses for imprudent speed and unnecessary noise.

Saturday, July 12

At 7:30 p.m. police responded to the Locke Mills end of the Greenwood Road to assist a Sheriff's deputy in pursuit of a motorcycle on the Greenwood Road. No contact was made.

At 8 p.m. police responded to the Rabbit Road in Greenwood to assist a deputy in pursuit of a truck. No contact.

Monday, July 14

At 10:10 a.m. a subject reported a child had been missing from the residence for a half hour. Preparations were made for a search, but it was then found the child had been with a relative without the parent's knowledge.

This report highlights points of interest from the Bethel Police Department log. It lists all cases of adults being arrested or issued a criminal summons in the 10 days prior to the newspaper's publication, but does not include all reports of other police activity. To reach the Bethel Police Department, call 911 in emergency situations, 824-3437 in non-emergencies.

Our Back Pages

Compiled by JOHN BROWN

10 years ago: Plans were unveiled for Victoria Station (later renamed Bethel Station), a \$25 million development north of Bethel village. According to one of the developers, the 36-acre project was being driven by "further expansion of Sunday River and the expectation that regular rail service to Bethel will be a reality perhaps as early as 1996."

A group of western Maine fish and game clubs had donated four new Old Town 158 canoes to the Maine Conservation School at Bryant Pond.

Dawn Seames was selected as Princess Mollycockett for 1993.

Norman A. Millard, Bethel Post Office; Caroline O. Merrill, Locke Mills Post Office; and Elaine Bonica, Newry Post Office, were sworn in as postmasters by the U.S. Postal Service.

Three rock hounds discovered a 12-foot-long, five-foot-wide, up to seven feet deep, pocket of the royal gemstone amethyst. The find near the Deer Mill Mine was said to contain more than 2,500 pounds of amethyst.

20 years ago: Roger A. Spugnardi, who had served in SAD44 as administrative assistant in charge of elementary education from 1967 to 1970, was named principal of Peru Elementary School.

Richard and Lidel Thompson opened Autowize Bethel Auto Parts Store across Route 26 from the SAD44 maintenance garage, in quarters formerly occupied by Bucky's Western Auto Store.

Ralph E. Caye Jr. was appointed business manager at Gould Academy.

Deaths: Robert H. Jones, Mrs. Beatrice B. Conrad, Mrs. Angelia V. Ridlon, Dr. Peter Gowing.

30 years ago: Ernest Perkins was honored by Continental Telephone Company for 25 years of service to telephone customers of the area.

Charles Farrar established Charlie's Place and featured tasty pizza, light lunches, ice cream and cold beverages.

The mobile home of Mr. and Mrs. Michael Tibbitts and son, near Songo Pond was destroyed by fire.

The Rev. and Mrs. Bertram Wentworth of Mechanic Falls observed their 50th wedding anniversary at the Albany Congregational Church, where he was summer pastor.

Deaths: John W. Baxter, Lester W. Hale, Archie W. Cole, Mrs. Maud Goud Rix, James H. Andrews, Royal Bolduc, Bertrand C. Buck, John B. Vail.

40 years ago: After teaching for the seven previous years at Crescent Park School, Mrs. Elizabeth Lord would be teaching mathematics and English in grades six, eight and nine at Woodstock in the fall.

The town of Bethel was seeking bids for the sale of the South Bethel school house.

A work detail was held on Gregg Mountain in Andover in conjunction with the ski tow. Participants were served a baked bean supper by members of Pineland Ski Club.

Births: Tilda Anne Bonney.

50 years ago: P.H. Chadbourne purchased the Ernest Luxton farm on the "old road" in West Bethel.

M/Sgt. E.K. Swan and family had returned from two years in Tripoli, North Africa.

Swim classes at Songo Pond had an enrollment of 157.

Births: Julie Anne York, Richard Brown Emmons.

Death: Abraham J. Rozek.

60 years ago: Bethel Band was holding concerts on the Gould Academy campus.

Traffic on the Grand Trunk Railway was halted for about 24 hours when nine freight cars left the rails and piled up east of Gilead. No one was injured.

70 years ago: Phil Mack, the human fly, climbed the Cole Block. The feat was witnessed by 900 people.

Dr. S.S. Greenleaf was surgeon-in-charge of Admiral Byrd's dogs, which were in training in Wonalancet, N.H. for the Byrd Antarctic Expedition.

80 years ago: Guest parties from the Bethel Inn were taking trips to Mount Washington for the climb to the top.

Scout camp on the Gore Road in Locke Mills was open for three weeks.

90 years ago: Miss Carrie Wight was appointed supervisor and critic teacher at Washington State Normal School, Machias.

Twelve acres of raspberries were ready for picking at Maxim berry farm.

100 years ago: 32 chickens were drowned on farms in Middle Intervale as a result of the big rain.

The Rev. Harvey Leach was preaching at the Baptist Church in Middle Intervale.

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Briefly

No check in the mail

BETHEL—The town will not be among those receiving a check as a result of recent refinancing by the Maine Municipal Bond Bank. Earlier this month the Bond Bank announced that the refinancing, at lower interest rates, would allow it to issue refunds and lower the interest rate payments of many towns, school districts and other municipal entities. But in the case of Bethel the Bond Bank's press release referred to a refinancing of sewer debt from the late 80s and early 90s, which the town had voluntarily undertaken earlier this year. Town Manager Scott Cole told the Board of Selectmen Monday. "The bond bank essentially took credit for that as well, but it really wasn't their doing as much as the town's," Cole said. "The town's not getting a check. The Water District got a check for about \$5,500 dollars. The town is going to enjoy over 17 years a reduction in payment of almost \$202,000. That's split about half and half between the general fund and the sewer fund." SAD44 will realize \$72,292 in savings over the remaining life of its bond for the addition at the Crescent Park Elementary School, as a result of Bond Bank refinancing. The 20-year bond ends in 2013.

School Board appoints personnel

BETHEL—The SAD44 School Board Monday approved appointments to a half dozen staff positions, including a new full-time curriculum coordinator. Lee Graham, who most recently served in a similar capacity in SAD21, was hired for the new SAD44 position at a salary of \$70,000, with up to \$9,000 in benefits. Supt. Dave Murphy said \$55,000 had been allotted in this year's budget to bring what had previously been a part-time position to full time. The remaining funding for the position came from what had traditionally been budgeted for the part-time coordinator in previous years. The full-time position was approved as part of the FY'04 budget. Graham holds a master's degree in educational administration. "I'm very comfortable with her qualifications," said Bethel director Becky Cummings, chairman of the Personnel Committee. Other staff appointments include: Rebecca Kuvaja as secretary for the superintendent's office; Michael Bailey as health/physical education teacher for the Telstar complex; Karla Seneca as special education teacher at Crescent Park School; Jolene Littlehale as teaching principal at Woodstock Elementary School; and Rick Colpitts as district Title I coordinator.

Cushman Road will get gravel

WOODSTOCK—Selectmen Tuesday agreed to put down crushed gravel on a mile stretch of the Cushman Road, to temporarily improve the rough surface created by recent work. The existing road pavement was ground up, with the intent that it be left in that form until the road could be paved next year. But the ground pavement turned out more "cobblely" than Vern Maxfield, town manager, said he had expected, making travel difficult. Because there is not enough money in this year's budget to pave the road now, the board decided the best option would be to put down fresh gravel. "That will form a good base to pave next year," said selectman Leon Poland. The gravel work is expected to cost under \$5,000, Maxfield said.

"Texaco" to change to "Shell"

BETHEL—The Texaco sign at the Route 2 Big Apple gas station will change its name to "Shell Oil Co.," following approval last week by the Planning Board. The single pole sign will be lit externally from the top, will be moved four feet farther away from Route 2, and will be dropped two feet in height from the current 18 feet. The Texaco canopy, currently internally lit, will change its colors to yellow with a red bar, and will be externally backlit.

Two killed in ultralight crash

RUMFORD—A man and woman from Rumford died last Thursday evening when their ultralight aircraft crashed into a tree on Hall Hill Road. Steven E. Bernard, 40, died at the scene and Terrie Davis, 39, died of injuries shortly after she was taken to Rumford Hospital. The craft, equipped with pontoons, had just taken off from the Androscoggin River. Police said the weather did not appear to be a factor in the crash, and they may never know what caused the accident.

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NEWRY—In a move designed to get lapsed and sometime-skiers and riders back and on the slopes more often, resorts Sunday River and Attitash Bear Peak will sell an unrestricted season pass valid at both resorts for \$599, and a \$299 pass with certain blackout dates. There is a limited quantity of the passes available through Oct. 27, or until supplies run out. An Internet and advertising campaign was launched July 11 that features retro characters and focuses on the 43 percent price reduction from adult passes sold at both resorts last season. The \$599 pass is \$450 less than a pass in 2002-2003. The blackout dates for the \$299 pass are Nov. 28 and 29; Dec. 31 through Jan. 3; Jan. 17 and 18; and Feb. 14 through 16 and Feb. 21. The season pass prices are for any age. For more information or to purchase a pass at Sunday River, log on to www.sundayriver.com or call (800) 543-2SKI.

Open Farm Day scheduled

OXFORD COUNTY—The 14th annual Open Farm Day will take place in Oxford County and across Maine Sunday, July 27. Featured will be displays, farm-raised products, barn and field tours, hay rides, petting zoos and refreshments. Among the farms in Oxford County participating are: Swallow Song Farm at 1460 Intervale Road, Bethel; Pooh Corner Farm on Bog Road, Mason Twp.; Carter's Farm on Route 26, Oxford; Mountain Brook Farm at 219 Streaked Mountain Road, South Paris; Hill; Stoneheart Farm, 285 Streaked Mountain Road, South Paris; Troika Drafts and the Shoeing Shop at 955 Buckfield Road, Hebron; and Gully Llamas, 15 Dunn Road, Norway. Hours will generally be from 10 a.m. to 3 p.m. A complete list can be found at www.maine.gov/agriculture.

HOGs to be at Telstar car show

BETHEL—A display of Harley Davidson motorcycles originally scheduled to take place Saturday at Bethel Outdoor Adventures will instead be located at the Telstar Car Show, at the school. The bikes are in town for the Maine State H.O.G. Rally (Harley Owners' Group). The show is from 9 a.m. to 2 p.m., with the motorcycle display from 10 a.m. to noon (See letter to the editor, page 2).

Record number of turkeys tagged

AUGUSTA—Turkey hunters in Maine bagged a record number of turkeys in 2003, according to the Department of Inland Fisheries and Wildlife. From April 28 to May 31, 3,994 turkeys were registered at tagging stations. Last year's count was 3,391. The state issued 12,000 permits this year, an increase of 3,000 over 2002. Hunters had a 36 percent success rate. There was a lower proportion of juvenile males (jakes) killed this year, probably a result of poor turkey production last year, according to Andy Weik, an IFW wildlife biologist. He said wet weather during the nesting season results in poor nest success because moist conditions are believed to aid predators that rely on smell to find the nests, located on the ground.

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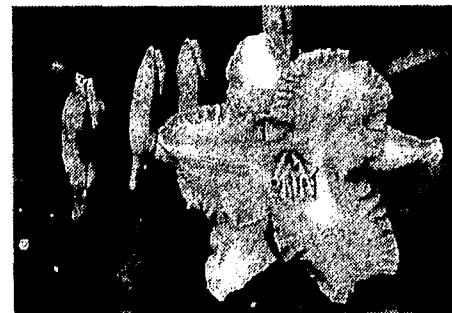
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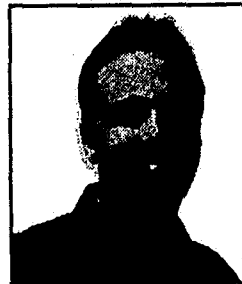
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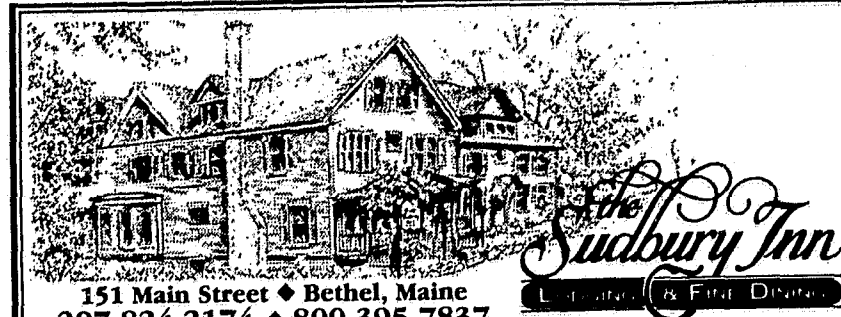
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Board

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Harrington to ask at one point: "I guess I need a clarification from you. My understanding is that the Board of Appeals is to oversee if the Planning Board did its job correctly ... but I'm hearing you interpret the sign part of it the way you'd like to have it versus the way it is."

To which Board Chairman Harry Faulkner replied: "Well, what difference does it make? Because ..."

Harrington, interrupting: "It makes a difference because we are saying we have to approve something in terms of the ordinance and then the Appeals Board decides they don't have to go by the same thing we did."

Following further discussion, Shaw made the motion to approve the internally lit sign.

Asked by Cressy to state the basis for the decision, Shaw replied: "Basis? It was really simple. I feel that in some cases the ordinance is

too restrictive and one of our functions is to make exceptions when they're really burdensome or onerous."

Shaw, however, declined to include in his motion any specific mention of "financial" hardship.

Pressed by Cressy to do so, he retorted: "I have a motion on the floor; you are not a member of this board and I really resent your attempt to change my motion."

The motion passed 3-1, with Dumont voting in the negative.

In a discussion following the vote, Faulkner commented: "I despise the Sign Ordinance to begin with."

The selectmen are expected to take up the situation at their next regularly scheduled meeting, on Aug. 18.

The matter was on the agenda for Monday's selectmen's meeting, but was tabled due to the absence of Chairman Dutch Dresser.

Legend

Continued from page 1

So father and son picked it up again. After a while, said Tom, they started getting messages saying, "You should put this in a book."

"So we decided, what the heck, we were having a lot of fun, we really could do this," said Tom.

The result: "The Legend of Grey Ghost and other tales from the Maine Woods."

Not about shooting deer

Although the book of anecdotes, many of them humorous, centers around hunting experiences, it is more about the larger themes of family traditions and father-and-son bonding, said Tom.

Writes Steve, "I did learn a lot about my father from spending time with him in the woods, and being around his friends. I am sure he hid a lot of things from me to help keep the respect a son needs for his own father at my age. The older I got and the more trips to camp, the more he would reveal to me that he was more human than I was led to believe. This just built more respect for 'the old man' than I think he knew, and in return made me more eager to get to know him better."

Tom describes Steve as the deeper thinker and writer of the two. Tom prefers to stick primarily with the lighter side, "because that's who I am," he said.

"I have written quite a bit to this point about tradition and how it is engrained in so much of what takes place at camp, but I have not spoken yet about lunch time. It is an absolute necessity to eat red hot dogs for lunch, and not just any red hot dogs. They have to be Jordan's brand hot dogs. No other brand will do."

But even Tom turns a little sentimental at times, such as when he recalls the death of his father:

"Gone now were the Saturday afternoon hunts and Thanksgiving Day outings in the Maine woods searching for that elusive buck, Grey Ghost! Gone was seeing him



THE SHIRTTAIL TRADITION—In this photo from the book, "The Legend of Grey Ghost and Other Tales from the Maine Woods," Vance Bacon removes a piece of Gregg Inman's shirrtail. The ritual is required in authors Tom and Steve Remington's hunting group when one of them shoots at, but misses, a deer. The marksman must write his name, and the date of the missed shot, on the material and post it on the wall. Tom Remington and Dennis Doyon are in the background.

every Saturday afternoon running the chains on the sidelines of the football games. Gone was the image of him driving up Church Street toward Gould Academy, sitting in his '56 Ford and everyone waving to him."

Grey Ghost
The legend of Grey Ghost, told to Tom at a young age by Clarence, appears from time to time throughout the book, and helps tie it together, said Tom.

Grey Ghost, wrote Tom, "was the monster of all bucks. He had lived so long that his hair had turned grey and every spring he would grow out the largest set of antlers that anyone had ever seen. Grey Ghost was very wise, and would never allow anyone to ever catch more than a glimpse in the darkness or a flash of tail in the forest."

The story of — and quest for — the mythical buck "added a mys-

tique to being in the woods," said Tom.

But throughout the many hunting seasons, shooting Grey Ghost, or any other deer for that matter, remained secondary. Writes Steve as another season ends without a deer to tag:

"The forest grew dark as the season and traditions came to a restful end. It was time to set them aside for another year and accept things for what they were. I appeared to have arrived home empty handed, but yet again I came home with everything."

Available on the Web
The Remingtons have self-published their book with 1stBooks.com. It is available at the Bethel Historical Society and is expected to be available soon at Books N Things in Bethel.

Tom, who now lives most of the year in Florida, is currently visiting

in Bethel and has some copies of the book with him. It may also be purchased at 1stbooks.com, or through Tom's own Web site, kenton6.com. The cost is \$24.50 in hardcover and \$14.50 in paperback.

The book's back cover bears a watercolor painting of the famous Albany camp to which the Remingtons often refer. The painting was done by Milt Inman. Inman owns the camp, and, with his sons, also appears frequently in the stories.

Tom said that regardless of how many copies of the book they sell, he'll consider it a success. "We accomplished what we wanted to, and we'll have something to pass on to our children," he said.

Reading the book has already been an educational experience for Thelma Remington, Tom's mother. "She said, 'I had no idea that's what went on in the woods,'" said Tom.

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Applicant: Scott Stone

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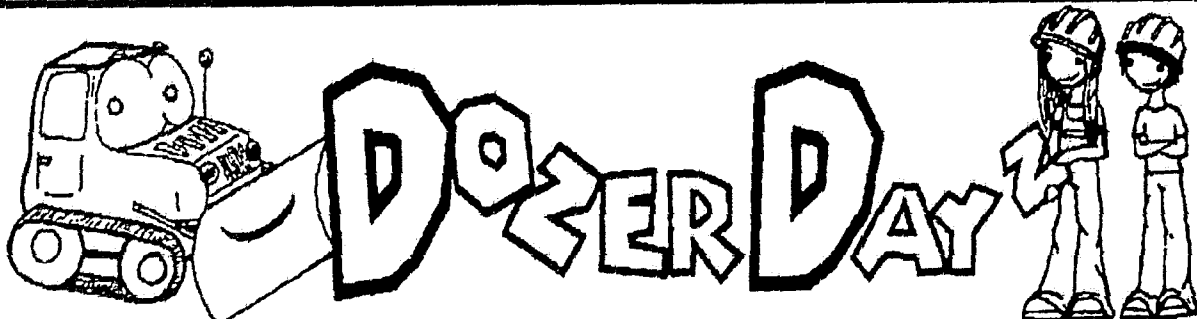
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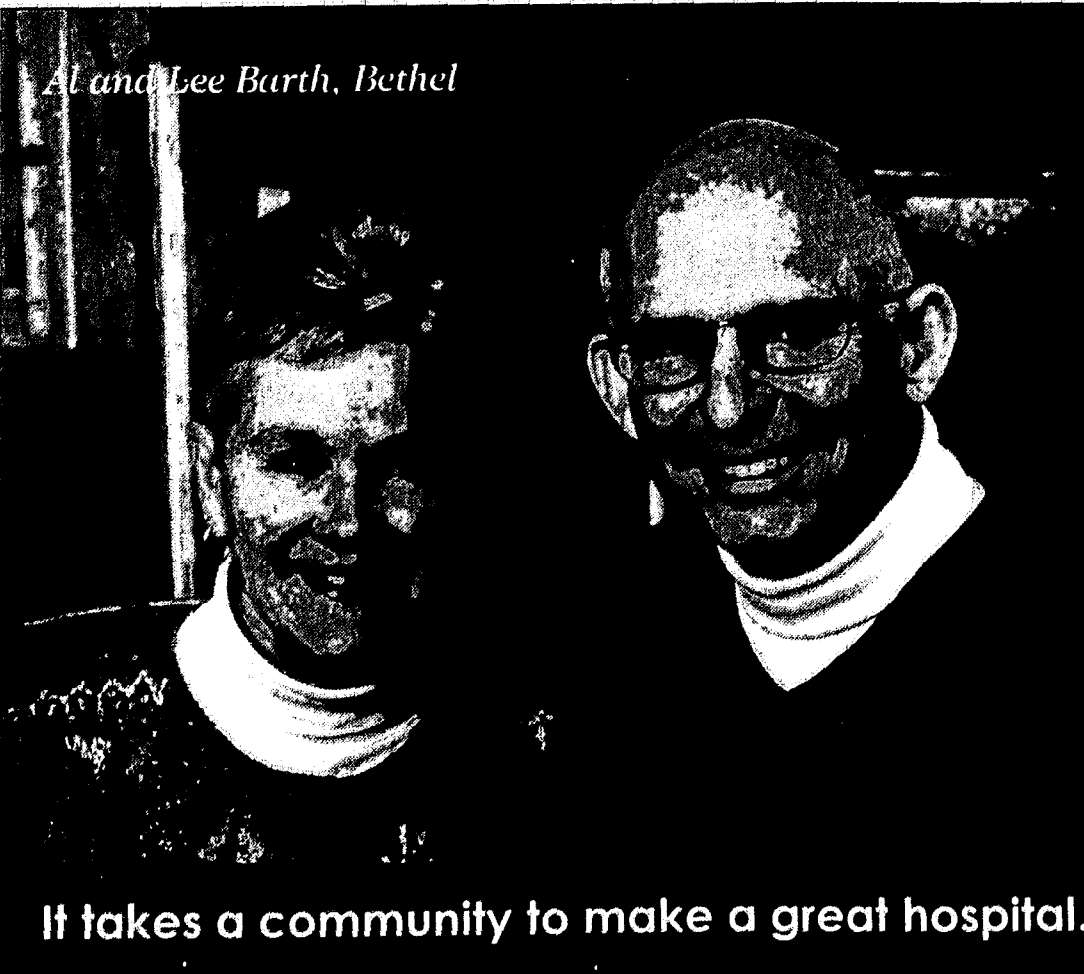
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Bethel

by Virginia Keniston
Guests over the Fourth of July holiday at the Davis Camp at Songo Pond were Susan and Emily White of Lisbon Falls, Jackson and Sylvia Harvey and children, Andrianne and Rosalie, of Lewiston, and Michael Davis and family of Norway.

Amy Davis has been visiting with her sister and husband, Nancy and Wally Stickney, at their home in Locke Mills.

Maggie Davis, Northfield, Mass., has been staying at her grandmother Amy Davis' camp at Songo while visiting in the area.

Hi and Mary Lou Berry spent three days last week at her brother Dana Eames' camp in Magalloway.

Linda Westleigh visited her aunt, Isabelle Bennett in Lexington, Mass., on Saturday to pick up her daughter, Lisa Pivin, and granddaughter, Andrea, who have been on a vacation in Florida. Lisa's husband, Paul, and daughter, Laura, had returned to Bethel a week ago from the vacation with his family and spending time with his mother in Port Lucia.

Mary Keoskie, formerly of Bethel, summer visitor with her husband, Charlie, in Brunswick near their daughter, Carol, is recovering from a broken shoulder. Her street address is 47 Tufton Street, and zip code is 04011.

Robert and Jane Cummings and children, Christopher and Marli, from Hooks, Texas, have visited for a week with her parents, Helen and John Cummings.

Mary Keniston will be collecting Bethel news for another week for Ginny Keniston. Please call 824-2504 or leave it at the Bethel Citizen by 9 a.m. Tuesday.

Nancie Coan, formerly of NTL, is back in Bethel for about five weeks. She is house-sitting at Jan and Lorenzo Baker's on Elm Street.

At the July 11 meeting of Oxford Hills Duplicate Bridge there were eight and one half tables and a Mitchell movement was played. First-place winners north-south were Jane Fournier and Nick Karamessinis; second, Adele Bendes and Marcella Allaire; third, Richard Allen and Pete Cummings; fourth, Errol and Pam Libby. East-west winners were Nancy Farmer and Don Hitch first place; second, Carol Curran and Sue Dame-

Andrews; third, Eric and Marilyn Sahlberg; fourth, Eileen Potvin and Della Starbird.

Hanover

by Clem Worcester
Bill and Gail Worcester had a Fourth of July barbecue at their Howard Pond Road home to celebrate the holiday. Attending were Bruce and Debbie Swan and family, Melburn and Rose Hutchins, Louise Worcester, David Worcester, Stanley Brown, Betty Hayden, Robert Brown, Rebecca Bedell and Brian Worcester.

Mike Worcester visited his brother, Brad, at his Belfast home over the weekend.

Regan Souve celebrated her birthday with a party at her Howard Pond home last Thursday.

The Hanover selectboard will meet at the Town Office on Tuesday, July 22, at 5 p.m. for their regular monthly meeting.

Dave Worcester has created a pictorial display of historic Hanover scenes. It is presently on display at the Hanover Town Office. Included are Hanover street scenes, industrial sites along with Howard Pond and mountain pictures.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Revay from Massachusetts have been staying at a cottage on South Shore Road.

The Nardoni family is staying in a cottage on Howard Pond Road.

Brian Worcester and his daughter, Kaylynn, along with their friend, Sara, went for a wilderness trip in Brian's new truck. They saw three moose, deer and other wildlife along their journey.

Mason Township

by Richard Grover
Most of you probably saw one of the articles about the fire that destroyed Reverend Earl Bell and his wife Marilyn's home at Papoose Pond. The Bells lost just about all their worldly possessions, including their dog, in the fire. On Sunday, July 6, just a few days after the fire, Reverend Bell conducted the worship service at the West Bethel Union Church as usual. The only difference was that all his clothing con-

sisted of items donated by concerned friends and neighbors: a pair of faded blue jeans, a white shirt and tie.

The title of his service that day: "Up From the Ashes." In it, Reverend Bell gave thanks for all he and Marilyn still have, namely each other. By the end of the service, few parishioners remained dry-eyed, as Reverend Bell explained how he was luckier than many in the congregation who had suffered worse losses: spouses or family members who passed away, those battling cancer, heart attacks and other debilitating diseases and those living in nursing homes away from loved ones.

The next evening, much of the West Bethel congregation and some from the Sweden church showed up at the remains of the Bells' burned-out home to help sift through the rubble. Working in heavy gloves and blue jeans, the assembled folks helped separate the unsalvageable from items which could be claimed on their insurance forms, and a scant few tools which remained useable. We capped off the evening with a fellowship picnic, brought by all those in attendance. Through it all, Reverend Bell retained his sense of humor, finding things to laugh at amidst the tragedy.

Thought for the week: "Life consists not in holding good cards, but in playing those you hold well." Bits and Pieces magazine, June 03.

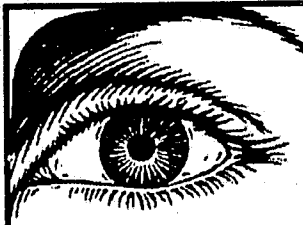
East Bethel

by Nancy Mercer
Richard Kimball celebrated his birthday on July 16. Alder River Grange will sponsor the second East Bethel School Reunion on Sept. 28 from 2 to 4 p.m.

If anyone has "stuff" in their attic or garage they would like to be shed of, give it to the Grange for their annual yard sale on Aug. 16. No clothes, please. If pickup is needed, give Stan Howe a call at 824-2291 or me at 824-3350.

The East Bethel Church will have a service on July 27 at 2 p.m. Ben Conant will do the service. August is still tentative.

Roger and Louise Twitchell and Nancy Kimball and her daughter and son-in-law joined the Bethel Senior Citizens Club on a trip to the Heritage.



The Way I See It

by Sharon Bouchard

Sharon Bouchard's column is published by special arrangement with the Advertising Department of this newspaper.

My street is part of the route for the Driver's License Exam so I see a lot of nervous looking people, mostly teens driving down my street. The examiners usually don't have the testees parallel park on my street because it is a one-way, but I often see them attempting that little difficulty right around the corner. I have come to the conclusion that parallel parking is a requirement to obtaining a driver's license is nothing more than a form of driving test torture perpetrated by sadistic license examiners.

Now, be honest, after you got your driver's license, how many times have you attempted to parallel park? I'm sure the answer from most people would be very few. In my case it is none and I have had my license for many years.

I will drive around the block until I'm close to running out of gas just looking for a parking space that I can drive into. This doesn't make me feel inadequate as a driver because I seldom see anyone else attempting to squeeze their good sized cars into those little bitty spaces. For that matter, I have never seen a police officer do it either. In fact, now that I think about it, the only people I have seen actually parallel park have had "Student Driver" signs on the roof of the car or a license examiner in the front seat.

There was a time, before the mall of America, when parking spaces were in scarce supply and parallel parking was a necessity. But that is not the case anymore. With shopping malls being what they are surrounded by acres and acres of parking lots, parallel parking is passé. There are parking lots everywhere, in the cities there are multi level parking garages. In fact, I bet that if anyone was so inclined as to do a study on the subject, they would probably find that there is more square footage devoted to parking cars than there is to housing people.

So why is a driver's license contingent on one's ability to do

something they will probably never do again? A far better test of a person's driving skills would be to have them drive through any city at 5:10 p.m., the peak of rush hour. If they make it through without an accident or resorting to profanity, they pass the test.

I think being able to parallel park is a good skill to have, but I really don't think it should be a test requirement. More time could be spent however, emphasizing the use of one's directional signals. This seems to me to be the easiest aspect of operating a vehicle. A simple touch of a lever and you let other drivers know you intend to turn or change lanes. Yet, it absolutely

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amazes me how many people fail to perform this little courtesy.

It's not like it was in the era before automatic directionals when a driver had to roll down the window, stick their arm out, no matter what the weather and frantically wave their intention to turn. Now all one has to do is flick a switch and they will spare themselves a lot of one-finger salutes from their fellow motorists. It's no big deal, I just don't understand why every driver doesn't signal.

I also don't understand why every driver doesn't stop for pedestrians. Have they never been pedestrians trying to cross a street themselves? Question: Why did the pedestrian not cross the road? Answer: Because no cars would stop and let them get to the other side.

Seriously, not only is it a nice thing to do, but in the State of Maine it is a law to yield to pedestrians in a crosswalk. However, few motorists will even acknowledge a pedestri-

an's existence, let alone yield to them.

I know this to be true because in my line of work as a sales rep I am often attempting to cross busy streets. I have had ample opportunity to observe the faces of the drivers who go whizzing by pretending they don't see me. There are people that don't stop, but they look so guilty and try so hard not to make eye contact that I almost feel sorry for them. There are some drivers that are so focused on where they are going and what they have to do once they get there, they really don't notice me. Then there are the drivers who slow down, grin at me as I step forward, then speed up and laugh as I jump back to the curb.

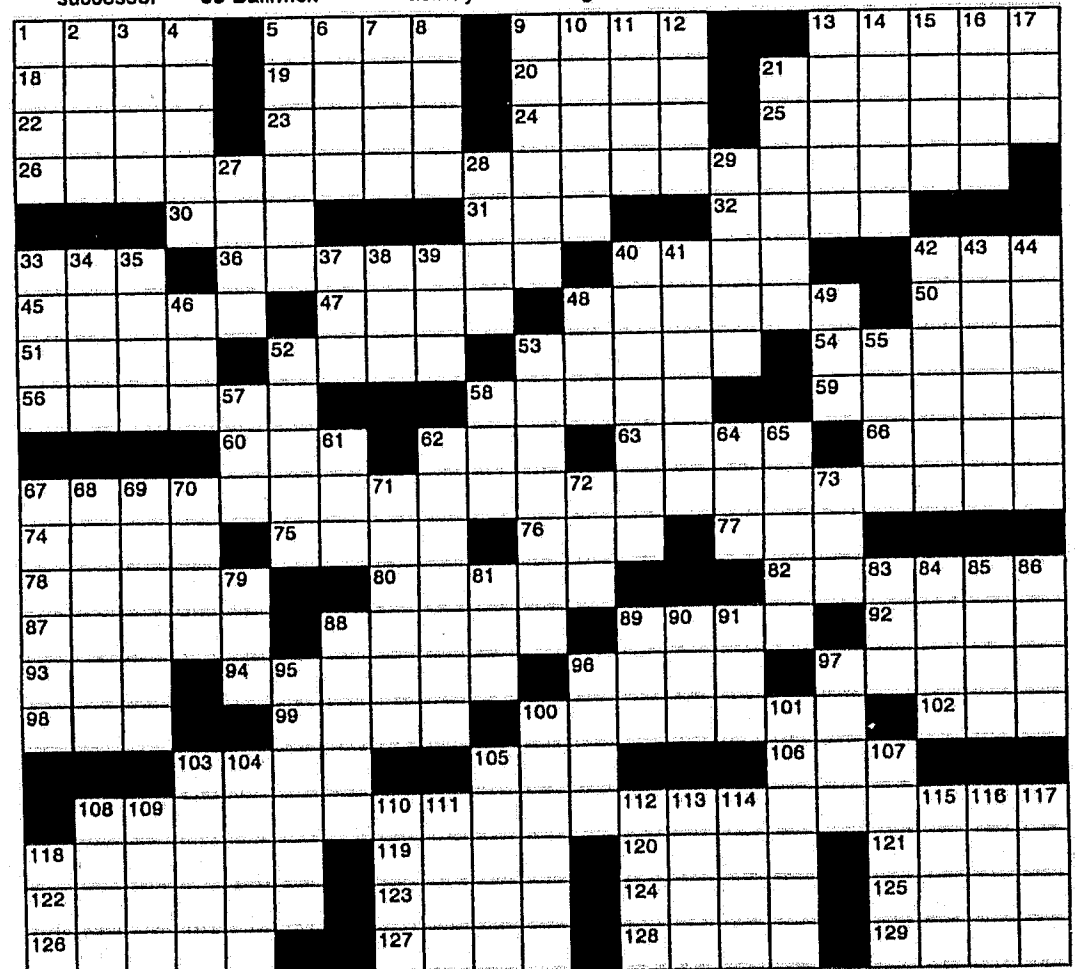
I have noticed that more motorists stop for me on beautiful sunny days when I really don't mind waiting a few minutes. But when it's raining or stormy, the people in dry warm cars seldom stop. I have stood in the pouring rain for a very long time before I could cross. It's on these days that some of the drivers will even look at me as if they are annoyed that I was standing there in the rain making them feel guilty because they splashed me as they passed by.

But there are people who do stop and smile as they wave me across. They do this with such ease that I'm sure they do it all the time. I always mouth a thank you and wave appreciatively as I pass in front of them. So rare are these gems of courtesy that I feel like sending them a thank you card.

I may not be a driving force in motor vehicle courtesy reform, but I do use my directional signals and I do stop for pedestrians. The way I see it, if I don't get hit by a car as I cross the street and I live until my 70th birthday when I will have to take a driver's test again, just maybe by then the examiners will focus on courtesy and not parallel parking.

Super Crossword

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| ACROSS | 52 Green house? | 100 Make a mistake | 10 "Ho's making ..." | 49 Campbell of UB40 | 89 "Hulk" Ferrigno |
| 1 Sagan or Sandburg | 53 Pianist Glenn | 102 Ewe said it! | 11 Muslim pilgrimage | 52 Caption | 90 Decorative vase |
| 9 Actress Arlene | 54 Light beer | 103 Summer top | 105 Actress Leon | 53 Cared for a Clydesdale | 91 Chianti color |
| 13 Trite | 58 Worries | 106 It may be split | 12 Place "Ma—Amie" (70 tune) | 55 In the thick of | 95 Comic Howie |
| 18 Spread in a tub | 59 PR concern | 108 End of remark | 14 Fess up | 57 Expert | 96 Dull |
| 20 Jal— | 62 Bovine bellow | 118 Golden girl | 15 Cranny's companion | 58 Eddie of vaudeville | 97 Set loose |
| 21 Brimmed hat | 63 Swarm (with) | 119 Bustle | 16 "Rule Britannia" composer | 61 Nationality | 100 Suit |
| 22 Move like a hummingbird | 66 Word with man or maiden | 120 Glim drop? | 17 Youngster | 62 "Wallizing" (1903 song) | 101 Screen-writer Nora |
| 23 Runner Zatopek | 67 Middle of remark | 121 Taj town pedestal | 21 Comprehend | 64 Pupil's place | 104 Actress MacDowell |
| 24 "The ... is High" (80 hit) | 74 New York county | 122 Shrink back | 27 Raison d— | 65 Doty inventor? | 105 Henry color |
| 25 Cashew kin | 75 Borscht | 123 Mighty mite | 28 Pull sharply | 67 Servile | 107 Dumbstruck |
| 26 Start of a remark by Bob Phillips | 76 A Stodge | 124 Concerned with | 29 Damocles' dagger | 69 Neatened (up) | 108 "Citizen Kane" prop |
| 30 Catchall abbr. | 77 Slip up | 125 Indigent | 33 Writer Charles | 70 Sock part | 109 Samewhat, to Solli |
| 31 Echidna's idiom | 78 Michael of "Dynasty" | 126 Put on a pedastal | 34 Bouquet | 71 Character— | 110 For men only |
| 32 Sharpen | 80 Dietary need | 127 Skirt shaper | 35 Neighbor of Bolivia | 72 Negative correlative | 111 Lorre role |
| 33 Prune | 82 Harvest tool | 128 Playwright O'Casey | 37 Pile mode | 73 Psych Geller | 112 Patriot James |
| 36 School subject | 87 Sans emotion | 129 Humorist Bombeck | 38 Up roar | 79 Rug type | 113 Hawaii's state bird |
| 40 "Beat it" | 88 Heaped | | 39 Calligraphy supply | 81 Arthur of "Maude" | 114 "Cheerful" type |
| 42 Dandy | 89 Entice | | 40 Move to and fro | 83 Mongrel | 115 Perpetual lab |
| 45 Simpson of fashion | 92 — price | | 41 WWII admiral | 84 Handle | 116 Starting |
| 47 Sausage segment | 93 Fagon filler | | 42 Barber of Seville | 85 Kudrow of "Friends" | 117 Binky's "— Road" |
| 48 TV's "— & Greg" | 94 Actress Plummer | | 43 Beaver State | 88 James or Jones | 118 It may be strapless |
| 50 Tax shelter | 96 Wet blanket | | 44 Rear | | |
| 51 Wolsey's successor | 97 Highlight hair | | 46 Permit | | |
| | 98 Rock's — | | 48 Female goat | | |
| | 99 Bailiwick | | | | |



A nice little soaker of a rain we had. Have a nice week.

Linda York from Bar Mills and Becky Melchin from Hyde Park, Mass., came to North Newry to visit with Karlene and Ras one day last week. Also Bob and Mary York, cousins, from Rome, Fla., visited.

Visitors arrive every weekend to enjoy time with relatives and enjoy the great outdoors.

For their first date, on the day before Thanksgiving in 2001, she offered Hart a cup of coffee if he would fix a bad burner on her stove. She figured he could handle the job since he is a retired Sears service tech-

Last week, we mentioned the

While Richard and I were coming down the lake in our boat Monday, we had a female mallard fly alongside and try to land aboard. Apparently she thought that this was an aircraft carrier and was try-

up the bus to take her home to Presque Isle after spending a week here. Seems as if it was the fastest week on record, too. Because my car is in the garage, we didn't get to go anywhere, but it was fun just having her here. She called me the next day to tell me that she wasn't too enthused with the new bus arrangement. Instead of going directly to Bangor she had to go to Brunswick for an hour layover to get the bus to Bangor. She said the bus driver left her at a bus stop that had no benches and was directly across from a park. She had so many pieces of luggage she didn't want to go across the highway tosit in the park, so she just sat down on the grass. The bus was late so she was afraid she would miss her connection in Bangor, but luckily the Cyr bus was late, too, so she was able to get to Presque Isle OK. However,

I am really enjoying the hummingbirds that are coming to the feeders. There are two pair and they don't like it if they are not alone at the feeder, so Ralph put up two feeders and they haven't had any more squabbles.

I am really very excited about some news I heard from my cousin, Carol Flint Hatch; well, it was really from Dan Hatch, Carol's husband, but it affects the both of them. Dan has accepted a position of Maine State Director for Straight Ahead Ministries. That is a program that ministers to juvenile offenders in the prison system and he will be involved in training volunteers to work with youth, both while in the prison system and with their care after they leave the system. He also will take an active part in the ministry as well. It sounds as if he will have his hands full both as director and on a personal level as he endeavors to move to Maine and find suitable housing besides selling their place in Massachusetts. They haven't been there very long, as they have moved a couple of times since they left Michigan four or five years ago. But Dan and Carol have Maine in their hearts and I am glad he has this opportunity to do work he loves and do it here in Maine. Carol has been holding a Woman's Bible Study for the young women being held in the prison system near her home, and I assume after the dust settles she will be doing that again. She really

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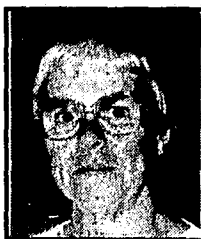
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enjoys helping young people whenever and wherever she can in spite of suffering the effects of two devastating strokes in the past thirty years. And in case you haven't noticed I am her biggest fan after her husband, two sons, and her brother, Frank and wife, Suzi. She has really worked hard to recover most of her mobility and her determination to lead a productive life as possible, besides keeping her sweet disposition, is an inspiration to us all.

We finally got the tree down that was very near the living room windows. It had lost a couple branches onto the roof during a storm and we decided it was not a good thing to have it so close. It certainly opens up the view, besides giving us more morning sun. Andy always wanted to get it down, but the people he had spoken to were not sure they wanted to tackle it, but Calla Cobb's fiancé, Jeff Tyler, and his brothers were able to do it.

Ralph and Lorene have been very busy helping Calla get ready for her wedding, which was Saturday, July 12. I should be able to remember the date because it would have been Andy and my sixth anniversary on the 12th.

Bryant Pond



by Alice Hoyt

Services at the Baptist Church are Sunday School and Adult Bible Fellowship at

9:15 a.m., morning worship at 10:30 a.m., evening service at 6 p.m. Wednesday evening at 6:30 is prayer meeting and kids hour. Thursday morning at 9 a.m. is Ladies Bible time at the parsonage.

Franklin Grange 124 met on Monday, July 7, with 15 members and one guest present. Painting of the dining room was reported on. The water pipe has been fixed. It was voted to help the Legion auxiliary with a blood drive in August. Next meeting is Ladies Night and a supper on July 21. If you have any homemade items for the Grange to use in their exhibition at the fairs (members only), call Peggy Blake or Olive Risko. A patriotic program for the Fourth of July was held as follows: opening thought, Bertha DeHaas; song by all, America the Beautiful; Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag; Bertha read about the pledge; song by all, My Country 'Tis of Thee; patriotic readings by three officers; Dot Canwell whistled a song; more reading by three more officers; Dot Canwell and Yvonne Nolan played several tunes; quiz about the flag by Bertha; song, This is My Country, by all; closing thought, Bertha DeHaas.

Whitman Memorial Library is having a Story Hour each Tuesday at 10 a.m. They are also having a summer reading contest. Please join them.

Curator Larry Billings has donated to the Historical Society some print from the Chase Store



SKI CENTER NAMED AFTER KALEY

At a memorial service Saturday, Gould Academy re-named its competition center at Sunday River Ski Resort "The Paul G. Kaley Competition Center" in honor of former teacher and coach, the late Paul G. Kaley. The ceremony was attended by Kaley's family, friends, and colleagues from the ski industry. The center, located at the base of Barker Mountain, is the home base of the Gould Academy/Sunday River Competition programs. It includes facilities for athlete gatherings, video analysis, dryland conditioning, and coaches' offices. Kaley, who began his teaching and coaching career at Gould in 1950, died this spring. At the gathering, Kaley was remembered as a respected teacher of European history, and an outstanding coach who helped develop Gould's renowned competitive skiing program. His skiing colleague, Brett Russell, said of Kaley, "He was a tough, but compassionate coach. His skiers were well-trained and disciplined, but not cocky." Kaley's son, Peter, also spoke, saying, "Dad never thought of himself as special, he thought of himself as lucky. He would be shocked and very honored to have seen this gathering here today." Here, Peter Kaley and his sister, Cindy Kaley Hiebert, examine an old photo of their father.

that he once bought from Basil Seguin. The Standard Storyteller was published three years ago. The society already has a printer's desk and collection of print from another donor, so this supplements that. The society has copies of the Standard Storyteller on file as well as a copy of the first issue, which Robert Billings framed years ago. The latter Larry believes George Hooper found in an old house during renovation. These donations are part of the jigsaw puzzle of the society's collection on publishing in Bryant Pond years ago.

Greenwood City



by Rena Curtis

Another week has gone. Had a few hot days, but has cooled off now. Good sleeping

weather.

On the Fourth, Ann Payne took her mother and father, Fay and Leonas Holt, down to the 60th wedding anniversary party for Mr. and Mrs. Carroll Record.

Saturday, Jim and Beth Parada, Hannah and Aaron, also Sarah and Jon Murray of Turner visited their father, Brad, and Ann Payne. Cora Payne of South Paris, and daughter, visited Cora's son and wife, Brad and Ann Payne. Sunday, Ann and Brad had her parents, Leonas and Fay Holt and David Holt from Norway and her Aunt Colista of South Paris for dinner and when Colista got ready to go back, David took her in his 1942 Ford car. She really liked that.

Pine Tree Paving has just capped over Brad and Ann Payne's driveway.

Fred and Mande Curtis and their two children, Felicia and Akalya went to their camp in Albany for the weekend.

Albert Curtis Sr. mowed down

my bamboo in hopes to get rid of it. My son in Kentucky, Kenneth, called. He said it was awful dry out there. The ground is cracking open.

Carl Curtis was home for the weekend. He was up to have coffee with me.

William Curtis called on me several times.

Quote of the week: "Good manners may be found in six words — forget yourself and think of others."

That's it for this week. Hope you had a good Fourth of July weekend.

West Paris



by Bertha DeHaas

Well, folks, this morning dawned clear and cool for a change (46 degrees to be

exact). Felt much more like September than the 10th of July. Seems good, but strange after our recent hot weather of the last couple of weeks.

Just received a letter (and request for money) from someone in Falmouth, Maine, who is under the misapprehension that the Maine Black Bear is on the "Endangered Species" list, when in truth we have between 22,000 and 30,000 bears inhabiting our fair state. This is according to statistics in regard to bears in our state — the records in Augusta.

This gentleman feels there should

be no trapping, or chasing the bears with bear dogs. On the other hand, those of us in this area of Oxford County are overrun with bears this year. "Bernadette" with two cubs, another female bear (unnamed so far) with one cub, a large (450 pounds) male bear with a diamond shaped patch of white fur under his chin that someone has named "Rufus," and about half a dozen "unattached" or teen-aged bears that have been wandering around.

These bears, and possibly others, have been getting into garbage cans, bird feeders, sheds, garages and wherever they can find food (or where it has been).

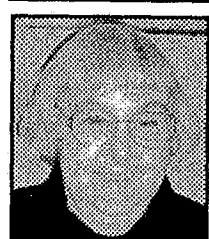
Be sure to clean up thoroughly after a picnic or cookout. Do not have food outside or even on your windowsills, as this will attract bears, coons, skunks, porcupines, squirrels, chipmunks, foxes, rats, etc.

It is not a good idea to alter wild animals' diets, nor to draw them away from their natural habitat.

Marauding bears can be very dangerous to pets, children and yourself and should be avoided at all costs. One swat of a bear's paw could knock most of us out in a heartbeat, so beware of the bears.

Discovered fall asters and brown-eyed susans blossomed on the Fourth of July day. These usually do not flower until September. What is happening this year? It seems that Mother Nature is having a temper tantrum or something. See you next week.

West Paris



by Joyce Lamb

The house is nearly empty. Wendy Lamb returned to Georgia on Saturday, taking

two days to reach home. Joseph and Nicki Lamb flew out on Sunday returning to Athens, Ohio. Allen and Myrna returned to Sterling, Mass. It was nice having all the gang together for a visit. Now all is quiet. When I put things down they are there when I go back. Hopefully, everything will be in its place in a few days. Leftovers are the menu. I hope things won't mold before I can consume them.

A mother mourning bird was the entertainment for two weeks, for she had built a stick nest on the windowsill in the upstairs bedroom. She was discovered when company arrived to occupy the room and wanted to open the window. There were two fuzzy balls under the mother's wings. She kept busy feeding them and at night cuddling them. They grew so fast and changed every day. Within two weeks they were fully feathered out. She left them the last two days, flying back at night. They then all flew away. The next day I cleaned the sill and within an hour she was rebuilding her nest. How can she carry such large sticks? She settled onto the nest ready to start her second family. I put up the window to scare her away, destroyed her new nest, pulled down the screen leaving her no room to nest again. Hopefully, she found a good place to raise her second family.

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On July 20 at the West Summer Universalist Church, the Rev. Herbert Adams will be the speaker. Harriet Rudd is organist. The service is at 11 a.m., with refreshments following. All are welcome.

The craft group in West Paris is again meeting on Thursday afternoon at 1.

Vicki Sanborn and Virginia Aridas are with their father, Vernon Inman, for a few days.

Buffy was sheared and is a funny sight. All have been laughing at him. He lays in the sun and turns pink so has to be watched closely so as not to get a sunburn.

Albany



by Dana & Sheila Dyke

Hello from Albany Township. We want to thank everyone who has so kindly told us

how much they enjoy reading our column, especially regarding our recent trip to Canada. One thing we did forget to mention was that Pam and Carlton's dog, Grizzly (a Pomeranian-Chihuahua mix) rode most of the way to and from Canada on Carlton's bike. He's quite the seasoned rider.

Last Thursday was the church's first supper, and we understand that it went very well and pulled in quite a sum for the Ladies Circle. The next supper will be held next Thursday, July 24th, beginning at 5:30 p.m. Now, if you miss the 5:30 sitting, there usually is a second seating, so, don't worry — there should still be plenty of good food for all to enjoy.

Before we forget, to the nice woman who wrote us a while ago about the Hunt's Corner Cemetery (we're sorry, we've misplaced your letter, and cannot recall your name). We have learned that it is

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Best wishes to all for a happy and safe week. God Bless.

Waterford



by Rocky Graham
I figure if I keep changing the color of my type, eventually I will find out the truth (be-

cause the perpetrator used a too strong word) and will ask what is wrong with the computer and thereby reveal him or herself. Or it will be ignored and changed to suit the person using it. It all seems to be a part of living with others who do not appear to be experienced at the fine art of group living. So it goes.

Having missed the main parts of the Norway festival this weekend, I was able to arrive in time to take in most of "Poets on the Porch." I only missed a few and the keynote poet, Baron Wormser, our Poet Laureate of Maine. I at least got to visit with him after the reading. I did arrive in time to hear the poems of some old friends and to read my own work. I, and Lisa Moore, the woman responsible for organizing the event, got to put in a plug for Mountain Poets. We will be having a poetry reading the last Thursday of the month, July 31, at the Fare Share Commons, Main Street in Norway. I will look forward to it.

I also look forward to finding my poems. One of the disadvantages of moving is living out of boxes and not being able to find anything.



RECENTLY ELECTED BOARD OF DIRECTORS of the Mollycodd Chapter of Sweet Adelines International (from left): Cindy Millett, Bethel; Pat Jacobs, North Turner; Andrea Bennett, Newry; Mimi Wetzel, Casco; Pat Jillson, Otisfield; Nellie Swan, Paris; and Darlene Grover, South Paris. Absent from the photo is Chris Otten of Bethel. The Mollycodd Chorus will sing the National Anthem for Oxford Hills Night at the Seadogs' baseball game on Friday, July 18. Other summer appearances will be Aug. 24 at the Bethel gazebo, at the Dixfield Bicentennial on Sept. 14, and Monday evening, Aug. 4, at Paris Hill Baptist Church.

Summer is always an especially busy time at the Congregational Church at the foot of Plummer Hill Road in Waterford Village. Special music is planned for each of the Worship Services at 9:30 on Sunday mornings through the months of July, August, and September. Nursery care and programs for children continue throughout the summer.

Fourteen children attended Vacation Bible School the last week in June at the Wilkins Community House. The theme for the week was "All God's Critters." This was a joint effort between the Waterford, North Waterford, Stoneham and

Sweden churches and was led by Pastors Anita White and George Froberg.

Sarah Leonard enjoyed a week at the UCC summer camp Pilgrim Lodge in early July. Sarah wrote the congregation from camp to thank them for the church scholarship she received to attend the camp.

The church will hold a giant Yard Sale on the Village Common on Saturday, Aug. 2, from 8 a.m. to 2 p.m. Karen Fillebrown is again in charge of this fundraiser to benefit the Sunday School and the Church Improvement Fund.

The second Summer Hymn Sing

and Ice Cream Sundae Social is scheduled for Wednesday, Aug. 20, at 7 p.m. All are invited to come to the church to share in singing, listening to, and even requesting favorite hymns, then enjoying ice cream sundaes and other sweets following the sing.

East Stoneham



by Eleanor Nelson
Hi readers. Sorry again; I didn't get to write last week. Have been trying to keep well

but not doing a very good job at it. Anyway, some people gave me some news and I will pass it along.

Word comes from Donald Hall, Wareham, Mass., that his aunt, Muriel Barnes, of East Freetown, Mass., has recently passed away. Muriel taught school in the early 1930s at the Slab City School in Lovell. She boarded at Bert and Marion Kendall's. Later, she and her family bought land and built the "Retreat Cottage" in East Stone-

ham, where they spent vacations for many years.

Molly Nelson was on the dean's list for superior academic performance during the spring semester of 2003 at Endicott College in Beverly, Mass. She is presently working at a horseback-riding ranch in New Hampshire. She says some days it is hard work, but she likes it.

The newly renovated Cutler Majestic Theater at Emerson College in Boston was the setting for the 22nd annual EVVY Awards on May 17. The EVVYs are Emerson's version of the Oscars with nominees in categories of film, stage television, writing, etc. Notable Emerson alumni include Henry Winkler, Jay Leno and Norman Lear.

Matthew Nelson of Lovell was one of three finalists out of approximately 150 for an award in script writing, not usually reserved for a freshman. Nelson is a theater studies major at Emerson and also works in film playwriting and script writing. He was thrilled when the nominees were announced on stage, and as the host opened the envelope his name was read as

winner for Best Script Drama. Nelson has also written a script that has been chosen to be produced into a movie next fall. Matt is a 2002 graduate of Fryeburg Academy.

I hope you people don't mind my bragging a little about our grandchildren, but I do like good news, don't you?

Dale hiked part of the New Grafton Loop Trail in Newry to the top of Puzzle Mountain recently. He noted that the trail crew put a lot of work into building the trail.

North Waterford Church had its first church public supper on July 1 and it was very successful with full seatings and more. Next one will be July 29. The Albany suppers (Hunt's Corner) are July 24, Aug. 7 and Aug. 21. Hopefully, we can make one or more of these.

Paul and Lindsey Barnard were here from Virginia this past week and stayed at the Inn at Evergreen Valley. They own a timeshare unit there. Cheryl joined them on Friday and spent the day here with us over the Fourth. They all had to go back to Virginia on Saturday, as their flight on US Airways was booked up full and they had to get back to work.

This week, Sharon and Howard Berman from Arlington, Mass., are here at their cottage at Lake Keweenaw for a few days' vacation.

The strawberries at Barton's Farm are just as good as always. Albert did go up and pick a flat and he is still lame from it. I hope to get some more before the season is over. We had strawberry shortcake three days in a row. Okay, the doctor says fruit is good for you and I use the lite Cool Whip — sparingly.

Family reunions

SMITH FAMILY

Descendants of Simon and Mary-ann McKeen Smith (and other branches), late of Stow, will hold their annual reunion on Sunday, Aug. 3, at the Beano building on Fryeburg Fairgrounds. Rain or shine, 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. All Smith "cousins" are invited to attend. There will be scrapbooks, photos, charts, etc., on display to help those tracing their family lineage.

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Due to many towns going E-911, addresses are changing and notices returned. If you have had a recent address change and want to receive future notices, contact me, Barbara Eastman, at 1209 Main Road, Chat-ham, NH 03813 or (603) 694-3623. Hope to see you at the reunion.

From the

Andover Olde Home Days Committee

Andover Olde Home Days will hold this celebration as always — the first weekend in August. This year will be Aug. 1, 2, and 3. Please make your plans to attend this event that traditionally brings thousands of visitors to this little town in the valley. The theme this year is "Lest we Forget" as a memorial to the people and the fami-

lies of those lost in the continuing quest for world peace. Join the parade — remember first prize is \$100 for the winning float. Enter the flower show and photography contest — all are welcome.

From the

Bethel Rotary Club

This week in Rotary, Bethel Historical Society (BHS) Executive Director Dr. Stanley (Stan) Howe shared with us highlights of the Bethel Historical Society.

Eva Bean started the society in 1966, with particular focus on the cemeteries. She had such intellect and determination, especially in overcoming her physical challenges. Eva passed away in 1969, but her perseverance and spirit still lives within the people of the society today.

Stan never imagined that he would be executive director of the BHS, needless to say for the last 30 years. He had thought he'd be a college professor.

BHS has a reputation as a pioneer and leader in Maine with a willingness to take chances in its facilities

to exhibits to events. The building has been great, and now the big challenge is the pending addition to the Robinson House. It will just be a matter of time and it's anticipated to hold conference/workshop/educational facilities, the Hastings Craft Room, and exhibit space. Years ago, Sidney Davidson first pointed out that the former Bethel Inn building would be a great house for the BHS.

BHS has become a leader in publications and has won several awards. Randy Bennett has done marvelous work in this area. This avenue allows those to "see" the exhibit and it brings interest and awareness to the community.

BHS continues to form its hopeful niche of presenting and housing the history of Northern New England. And, it is Stan's hope that more and more people find history synonymous with Bethel.

In answering questions, Stan confirmed that he was on the Rotary 1977 Group Study Exchange Team that visited France. There is a new exhibit at BHS called Wood and Woods. For as little as \$10, anyone can become a BHS member. BHS is the largest organization in the county and fourth largest historical society in the state, and it has the longest serving director.

The club took advantage of Stan's visit to proudly present him with the highest non-Rotarian honor of Paul Harris Fellow. Stan was recognized for his contributions to the Bethel community and the Bethel Historical Society. Stan is active with the grange, politics, and town boards. Past District Governor Tim Placey pinned Stan with this distinguished award in which a contribution has been given to The Rotary Foundation in his name.

As a note of history, 1977 was the first year that the district sent a GSE team and this was the one that Stan participated in.

In continuing with congratulations, Chair Kevin Finley presented LeeAnn Wright with a non-traditional scholarship. LeeAnn will be attending CMTC.

Lainey Cross accepted a club contribution on behalf of Channel 4—Community Channel. Lainey serenaded the club in thanks and indicated that the contribution would most likely go toward the purchase of equipment.

Inside Rotary: Congratulations to Past President Mike Liberti and our club for receiving the 2002-2003 Presidential Citation Award. Good to see you Dawna. Thanks to all those who helped with the Food Booth at the Art Fair.

The Rotary Club of Bethel meets weekly on Tuesdays at The Bethel Inn and Country Club at 7:30 a.m.



D.B.A.: Teresa's Hair Studio

Stylist Kathy (Legendre) Corriveau has joined Teresa's Hair Studio, owned by Teresa Chase, in Bryant Pond. Corriveau does men's, women's and children's hair, as well as manicures and pedicures. She has 10 years of experience as a stylist. Corriveau, who grew up in the Bethel area, lived in Vermont for a time, and returned to the area about four years ago. Here, she styles client Crystal Bonney's hair. Corriveau does hair by walk-in or appointment. Customers may call receptionist Darcy Tyler (665-2500) and ask about the 10 for 9 Club, which offers a free haircut. Corriveau's hours are Monday and Thursday, 8:30 a.m. to 7 p.m.; Friday 8:30 a.m. to 5 p.m.; and Saturday, 8:30 a.m. to 2 p.m.

(Photo by Alison Aloisio)

D.B.A. (Doing Business As) features new and evolving businesses in the greater Bethel area. There is no charge for D.B.A. listings, which are published as space permits. For information, call Alison Aloisio at 824-2444 or send e-mail to: news@bethelcitizen.com.

Andover Olde Home Days

August 1,2,3, 2003

Theme: "LEST WE FORGET"

Thursday, July 31

10 a.m. Judging for Garden Contest

Friday, Aug. 1

6:30 p.m. Band Concert On The Common (Leavin' City Limits)

Saturday, Aug. 2

10 a.m. Parade on Main Street

8 a.m. to 1 p.m. Coffee/Donuts church

9:30 a.m. Taste of Andover Raffle

11 to 4:30 p.m. Bike/Doll Carriage Parade

11 a.m. Photo Contest Exhibit

Closest to the Pin (golf)

11:30 a.m. Chicken Barbecue

Pie Eating Contest

(Enter early — limited number of pies)

Children's Games

11:30 to 4 p.m. Flower Show/Open House

12 to 2 p.m. Antique/Classic Car Show

12:30 p.m. Fly Casting Contest

1 p.m. Fire Muster

Family Folk Music Concert

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2 p.m. Line Dancing Demo

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3 p.m. Final Button Drawing

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4 p.m. Karaoke

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Common

8 p.m. Horse-Drawn Wagon Rides

(Courtesy of Harry Hutchinson of West Paris)

Dance (BYOB)

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Sunday Aug. 3

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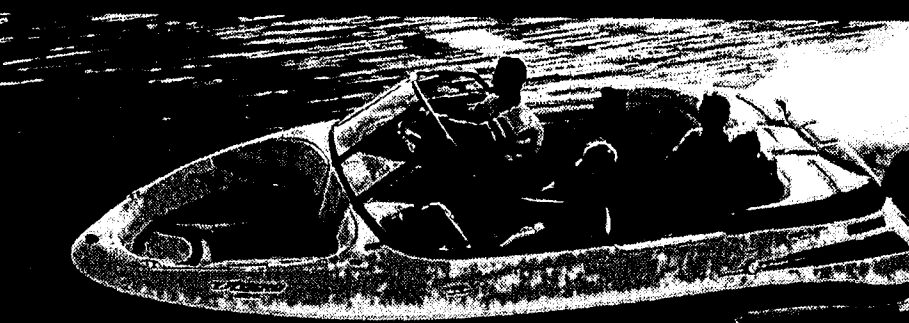


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union, the Songo River Cruise, on Aug. 2. There have been 40 people who have responded as of July 1. Alice Deegan said it isn't too late to contact her about the reunion.

Next on the Alumni Association agenda is Alumni Day 2003, to be held on Aug. 9, at the high school from 11 a.m. to 4 p.m.

From the White Mountain National Forest

Wednesday Night With a Ranger
(Corrected list)

Wednesday Night With a Ranger programs are presented by the Forest Service every Wednesday evening beginning at 8 p.m. at the Appalachian Mountain Club's Pinkham Notch Visitor Center on Route 16, 11 miles south of Gorham. White Mountain National Forest staff look forward to the opportunity to share national forest management topics with interested residents and visitors.

July 16: Leave No Trace — Subaru/LNT Traveling Trainers.

July 23: The Goals and Gear of Fire in the Forest — Fire Program Manager Craig Young.

July 30: White Mountain Lure and the CCC Era — Interpreter Emily Beers.

Aug. 6: From the Picnic Table to the Summit: Caring For the Land — Backcountry Ranger Tim Yurkiewicz.

Aug. 13: Tech Tools in the Forest — Peg Heaney, Technology Information Specialist.

Aug. 20: Tuckerman Ravine — Snow Ranger Justin Preisendorfer.

Aug. 27: Wildlife in the Working Forest...and Let's Look for Bats — Wildlife Biologist Chris Costello.

All Wednesday Night With a Ranger programs are free and all local residents, campers, and visi-

From the Bethel Historical Society's Regional History Center

Bethel Historical Society Executive Director Stanley R. Howe announced this week that Professor Allan R. Whitmore, chairman of the History Department at the University of Southern Maine, will be the featured speaker at the 12th annual Hall Memorial Lecture, which is the first event of the 23rd annual Sudbury Canada Days on August 8 at the Dr. Moses Mason House beginning at 7:30 p.m. His topic will be "Ellsworth's George Washington Madox (1821-1882) and This Down-East Democrat's Surprising Linkage of Know-Nothing Nativism to Radical Feminism and Marxism."

A one-time member of the anti-Catholic Know-Nothing party, G. W. Madox was apparently one of the assailants, who in 1854 was involved in the tar and feathering of Father John Baptist in Ellsworth. After moving to New York City, he later became a supporter of the radical feminist Victoria Woodhull, the first woman to run for President of the United States and joined Karl Marx's First International. This lecture will explore some of the factors in Madox's journey from Nativism to radicalism.

Born in Old Town, Professor Whitmore is a graduate of the University of Maine. He received his

From the District Exchange

The District Exchange continues to be a wonderful service to our communities through the thrift shop and food pantry. Items are recycled, families outfitted with good clothing, and proceeds used for food for the pantry. However, people continue to leave items on the porch and steps at the Ethel Bisbee building during the hours that the exchange is closed. This is a major burden for the operation as all items left outside are thrown away. This adds to the cost of running the exchange and is a lot of work for our faithful volunteers. Please do not leave anything on the porch or steps. If it is not possible to bring items during hours of operation (Monday 1 to 4 p.m., Thursday 3 to 5 p.m., or Saturday 10 a.m. to noon), please call Cathy Newell, 875-2116, to arrange for a convenient time for a volunteer to meet you.

The grants received from Rotary International and the Bethel Rotary Club are meeting needs of individuals in our communities. Several adults are taking driver education, emergency fuel oil has been delivered, and health-related supplies have been purchased. Referrals for assistance may be directed to Cathy Newell or Maryvonne Wheeler.



BABE RUTHERS—The Bethel A Babe Ruth baseball team finished the year with a record of 9-6 and qualified for the playoffs. Pictured are, front (from left): Doug Costello, Andy Whitney, Kevin Wight, Charlie Rice. Back: Tyler Hodsdon, Will Carver, Gavin Parker, Ryan Kimball, Nate Walker. Absent: Matt Zinchuk, Parker Thurston, Alex Crockett. Qualifying for All-Star teams were Costello, Rice, Whitney, Parker, Kimball, Carver and Walker. Coaches were Brad Wight, Rick Whitney and Scott Parker.

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JULY 19TH, 2003

Schedule of Events

Friday July 18th

Noon - 6:00 PM - Library Book Sale

Saturday July 19th

7:30 - 9:30 AM

7:30 - 11:00 AM

7:30 AM

8:00 AM - 6:00 PM

8:30 AM

9:00 AM

9:00 AM

9:00 AM - 2:00 PM

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4:00 - 5:30 PM

4:30 - 5:30 PM

5:00 PM

5:30 - 7:00 PM

7:30 - 9:00 PM

9:00 PM

Bethel Inn Pancake Breakfast
United Methodist Church Coffee & Donuts Sale, Cookie Walk, and Flea Market
Registration for Road Races at the Bethel Common
Library Book Sale
Mollyockett Day Classic Road Race (Children's start time)
Adult (Runners & Walkers) start time for Road Race
Farmer's Market, Bethel Family Health Center parking lot
Telstar High School Car Show at Telstar, free shuttle 10-2, Chapman Inn
H.O.G., Harley Owners Group Bike Show, Telstar High School
Parade - "The Good Olde Days"
Chicken BBQ and Computerized Fire Fighter Presentation, Fire Station
Parade Announcements; Crowning of "Princess" Mollyockett, Treasure Hunt
presentation, at the Gazebo
Gazebo Entertainment - Julie & Brownie, Songs for Kids
Bed Race-Tri Town Rescue and Bethel Rescue
Scoggin Cloggers and Spring St. Cloggers, Bridget's School of Dance, Bethel
Fire Station
CHIPS, Child Identification Program, Bethel Fire Station
Gazebo Entertainment - Mahosuc Community Band
Stan Howe's Lawn; Bethel Family Health Center's 21st Annual
Frog Jumping Contest
Gazebo Entertainment - Jewel Clark & Donnie Katlin
Gazebo Entertainment - The Muddy Marsh Ramblers
Registration for Fiddler's Contest
Duck Race at the Artist's Covered Bridge on the Sunday River
7th Annual Old Time Fiddlers Contest
Gazebo Entertainment - Malinda Liberty & The Silver & Lace Band
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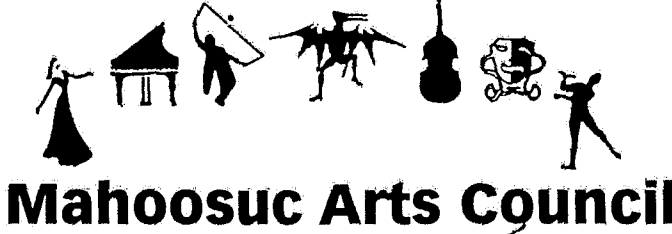
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Television Listings

THURSDAY EVENING JULY 17, 2003

	7:00	7:30	8:00	8:30	9:00	9:30	10:00	10:30	11:00	11:30
(3)	70s Show	70s Show	WWE SmackDown!		News		Frasier	Ent. Tonight		
(32)	7th Heaven		Movie: "The One"		Whose? Whose?		700 Club			
(6)	Hollywood	Seinfeld	Friends	Will & Grace	Will-Grace		Dateline	News		
(8)	Fortune	Jeopardy!	Disco Ball				Primetime Thursday	News		
(10)	News-Lehrer		History Detectives	Maine	Made In	Mystery!	Wide Angle			
(22)	Pete Rose on Trial						Baseball	SportsCenter		
(34)	Movie: "For Your Eyes Only"						Ran	Gary	Stripperella	Ren Stimp
(18)	Friends	Ent. Tonight	Amazing Race 4		CSI: Crime Scn		Without a Trace	News		
(41)	Sports	NASCAR	Best Damn Sports Show Period				Sports	Sports	Best Damn Sports Show	
(15)	Movie: "A Knight's Tale" Cont'd				Movie: "Consequence"		Seabiscuit	GString	GString	
(17)	Sister, Sis.	Lizzie	Movie: "The Even Stevens Movie"				Sister, Sis.	Even	Boy World	Proud
(18)	"Summer Catch" Cont'd		Movie: "What About Bob?"				Movie: "Showtime"			
(20)	MLB Baseball: Toronto Blue Jays at Boston Red Sox						Innings	Extra Inn	ESPNNews	
(44)	Movie: "For All Time"				Movie: "Her Deadly Rival"			Golden	Golden	
(5)	Friends	MLB Baseball: New York Mets at Atlanta Braves					Seinfeld	Movie: "Batman & Robin"		
(24)	Hey Arnold!	Rugrats	SpongeBob	Amanda	Cosby	Cosby	Cosby	Cosby	Cosby	Cosby
(25)	"Highlander" Cont'd		Movie: "High Plains Drifter"				Movie: "Joe Kidd"			
(26)	JAG		JAG		Movie: "12 Monkeys"					
(27)	American Justice		Biography		Movie: "Columbo: Murder in Malibu"			Third Watch		
(12)	Home Imp.	Will-Grace	Movie: "Just Cause"				News	Rockford Files		
(39)	Live From the Headlines	Live From the Headlines	Larry King Live				NewsNight-Aaron Brown	Lou Dobbs Tonight		

FRIDAY EVENING JULY 18, 2003

	7:00	7:30	8:00	8:30	9:00	9:30	10:00	10:30	11:00	11:30
(3)	MLB Baseball: Toronto Blue Jays at Boston Red Sox						News		Frasier	Ent. Tonight
(32)	7th Heaven		Movie: "Stuart Little"				Whose? Whose?	700 Club		
(6)	Hollywood	Seinfeld	Dateline				Law & Order	News		
(8)	Fortune	Jeopardy!	Funnest Home Videos	Whose? Whose?	20/20		News			
(10)	News-Lehrer		Wash Wk	Wall	Keeping Up	Time Goes	Neighbors	One Foot	Now With Bill Moyers	
(22)	SportsCtr.	Golf: American Century Celebrity Championship					Baseball Tonight	SportsCenter		
(34)	Blind Date	Blind Date	Star Trek: Next Gener.		Star Trek: Next Gener.		Star Trek: Next Gener.	CSI: Crime Scn		
(18)	Friends	Ent. Tonight	Big Brother 4		JAG		48 Hours Mystery	News		
(41)	Sports	NASCAR	Best Damn Sports Show Period				Sports	Sports	Best Damn Sports Show	
(15)	Don't Tell Mom		Movie: "Spider-Man"				Wire	Bad Boys II	On Record	
(17)	So Raven	Lizzie	"Eddie's Million Dollar Cook-Off"		Movie: "Eddie's Million Dollar Cook-Off"			Sister, Sis.		
(18)	"Ocean's Eleven" Cont'd		Movie: "High Crimes"				Movie: "The Ghost and the Darkness"			
(20)	MLB Baseball: Toronto Blue Jays at Boston Red Sox						Innings	ESPNNews	ESPNNews	
(44)	Movie: "Dangerous Child"				Movie: "Going for Broke"			Golden	Golden	
(5)	Friends	MLB Baseball: New York Mets at Atlanta Braves					Seinfeld	Movie: "Top Gun"		
(24)	Hey Arnold!	Rugrats	SpongeBob	Neutron	Oddparents	ChalkZone	3's Co.	3's Co.	3's Co.	3's Co.
(25)	Movie: "Dillinger" Cont'd		Movie: "An American Werewolf in London"				Movie: "Rosemary's Baby"			
(26)	JAG		Movie: "Bring It On"				Monk	Law Order CI		
(27)	American Justice		Biography		Touch of Frost			Third Watch		
(12)	Home Imp.	Will-Grace	Movie: "She-Devil"				News	Broadway's Best		
(39)	Live From the Headlines	Live From the Headlines	Larry King Live				NewsNight-Aaron Brown	Lou Dobbs Tonight		

SATURDAY EVENING JULY 19, 2003

	7:00	7:30	8:00	8:30	9:00	9:30	10:00	10:30	11:00	11:30
(3)	Fortune	Jeopardy!	Movie: "Supercop 2"				News	Sanders	Entertainment Tonight	
(32)	Dance	Switched!	Movie: "Air Bud"				Movie: "Joe Versus the Volcano"			
(6)	Maine	Seinfeld	Just Shoot	Just Shoot	Movie: "Bowfinger"			News	Sat. Night	
(8)	Fortune	Jeopardy!	Movie: "Krippendorf's Tribe"				Dragnet	News	Practice	
(10)	Made In	Maine	Quest: Investigating		Nova		Nova	Red Green	Red Green	
(22)	NHRA Drag Racing: Mile-High Nationals Qualifying				Great Outdoor Games			SportsCenter		
(34)	Blind Date	Blind Date	Real TV	Real TV	Elimination	Elimination	WWE Velocity	WWE Confidential		
(18)	Entertainment Tonight		48 Hours Investigates		Hack		District	News	Andromeda	
(41)	World Team Tennis		Beyond the Glory		Beyond the Glory		Best Damn Sports Show	Beyond the Glory		
(15)	"Joe Somebody" Cont'd		Movie: "Mr. Deeds"				Bill Maher: Victory	Sex & City	Greenlight	
(17)	So Raven	Lizzie	"Eddie's Million Dollar Cook-Off"		Kim		Kim	Even	So Raven	Sister, Sis.
(18)	"Cruel Intentions II"		Movie: "Trapped"				Movie: "Ballistic: Ecks vs. Sever"		Erotic	
(20)	MLB Baseball: Toronto Blue Jays at Boston Red Sox						Innings	Extra Inn	ESPNNews	
(44)	Movie: "Deep Family Secrets"				Movie: "Deadly Whispers"			What Should You Do?		
(5)	Seinfeld	Seinfeld	"Austin Powers: International Man of Mystery"				Movie: "Dumb & Dumber"			
(24)	Neutron	Oddparents	Rocket Power		Nicktoon		Cosby	Cosby	3's Co.	3's Co.
(25)	"American Graffiti"		Movie: "The Return of the Pink Panther"				Movie: "King Kong"			
(26)	Movie: "Patriot Games" Cont'd		Movie: "Clear and Present Danger"					Dragnet		
(27)	City Confidential		American Justice		Cold Case Files		John & Carolyn: Portrait	Crossing Jordan		
(12)	MLB Baseball: Chicago Cubs at Florida Marlins				Broadway's Best		News	Fresh Pr.	"Predator"	
(39)	Capital Gang		CNN Presents		Larry King Live		CNN Saturday Night	CNN Presents		

SUNDAY EVENING JULY 20, 2003

	7:00	7:30	8:00	8:30	9:00	9:30	10:00	10:30	11:00	11:30
(3)	Fortune	Jeopardy!	Movie: "Up Close & Personal"				News	Red Sox	Sanders	70s Show
(32)	Dance Fever		Movie: "Lucky 7"				Movie: "Lucky 7"			
(6)	Dateline				Law Order CI		The Restaurant	News	Hot Ticket	
(8)	Movie: "Small Soldiers"				Alias		Practice	News	Buffy	
(10)	Monarch of the Glen		Nature		Mystery!		1800 House	To Contrary	Religion	
(22)	Baseball Tonight		MLB Baseball: St. Louis Cardinals at Los Angeles Dodgers					SportsCenter		
(34)	WWE Sunday Night Heat		Elimination	Elimination	Real TV	Real TV	Blind Date	Blind Date	Stripperella	Ren
(18)	60 Minutes		Becker	Becker	Movie: "Analyze This"			News	Friends	
(41)	See This	See This	Boxing: Sunday		Beyond the Glory		Best Damn Sports Show	Boxing: Sunday		
(15)	"Stuart Little 2" Cont'd		Sopranos		Sex & City		Project Greenlight	Movie: "Minority Report"		
(17)	So Raven	Lizzie	"Eddie's Million Dollar Cook-Off"		Kim		Kim	Even	So Raven	Sister, Sis.
(18)	"Joy Ride"		Movie: "The Hunt for Red October"				Movie: "Unfaithful"			
(20)	McCarver	PGA	Outdoors	Outdoors	NE Journal	Camp Cnt	Go Boating	Divers	ESPNNews	
(44)	Movie: "A Child's Cry for Help"				Division		Strong Medicine	Any Day Now		
(5)	"Dumb & Dumber"		Movie: "The Cable Guy"				Movie: "The Cable Guy"			
(24)	Nicktoon	Ginger	Garcia	Clueless	Cosby	Cosby	Cheers	Cheers	3's Co.	3's Co.
(25)	"King Kong" Cont'd		Movie: "Planet of the Apes"				Movie: "Beneath the Planet of the Apes"			
(26)	"Alien Resurrection"		Movie: "10 Things I Hate About You"				Dead Zone	Law & Order		
(27)	Columbo: Butterfly		Biography				Biography			
(12)	Mutant X		Andromeda		Adventure Inc.		News	Replay	Broadway's Best	
(39)	People in the News		CNN Presents		Larry King Live		CNN Sunday Night	CNN Presents		

MONDAY EVENING JULY 21, 2003

	7:00	7:30	8:00	8:30	9:00	9:30	10:00	10:30	11:00	11:30
(3)	70s Show	70s Show	Parkers	One	Girlfriends	Half	News		Frasier	Ent. Tonight
(32)	7th Heaven		Movie: "This Time Around"				Whose? Whose?	700 Club		
(6)	Hollywood	Seinfeld	Fear Factor		For Love or Money 2		Marry My Dad?	News		
(8)	Fortune	Jeopardy!	Less Than	Less Than	Less Than	Less Than	Primetime Special Edition	News		
(10)	News-Lehrer		History Detectives		American Experience		Crown	Small	McLaughlin	
(22)	2003 Poker		Great Outdoor Games				Baseball Tonight	SportsCenter		
(34)	Blind Date	Blind Date	Star Trek: Next Gener.		WWE Raw			Stripperella	Ren	
(18)	Friends	Ent. Tonight	Yes, Dear	Still	Raymond	King	CSI: Miami	News		
(41)	Sports	NASCAR	Best Damn Sports Show Period				Sports	Sports	Best Damn Sports Show	
(15)	On the Record		Curb	Curb	Movie: "Point of Origin"		Bill Maher: Victory	NaturalKill		
(17)	Sister, Sis.	Lizzie	Movie: "The Paper Brigade"				Sister, Sis.	Even	Boy World	Proud
(18)	Movie: "Thirteen Ghosts"				Movie: "Ballistic: Ecks vs. Sever"			Movie: "Crimson Tide"		
(20)	MLB Baseball: Detroit Tigers at Boston Red Sox						Innings	Extra Inn	ESPNNews	
(44)	Intimate Portrait		Unsolved Mysteries		Movie: "Defending Our Kids: The Julie Posay Story"			Defending Our Kids: Julie		
(5)	Friends	MLB Baseball: Chicago Cubs at Atlanta Braves					Seinfeld	Movie: "House Arrest"		
(24)	Hey Arnold!	Rugrats	SpongeBob	Amanda	Cosby	Cosby	Cosby	Cosby	Cosby	Cosby
(25)	"To Catch a Thief"		Movie: "Waiting to Exhale"					"How Stella Got Her Groove Back"		
(26)	JAG		Monk		Movie: "Bulletproof"			JAG		
(27)	American Justice		Biography		Cold Case Files		City Confidential	Third Watch		
(12)	Home Imp.	Will-Grace	Movie: "Invisible Child"				News	Rockford Files		
(39)	Live From the Headlines	Live From the Headlines	Larry King Live				NewsNight-Aaron Brown	Lou Dobbs Tonight		

TUESDAY EVENING JULY 22, 2003

	7:00	7:30	8:00	8:30	9:00	9:30	10:00	10:30	11:00	11:30
(3)	70s Show	70s Show	One	Abby	Buffy the Vampire Slayer		News		Frasier	Ent. Tonight
(32)	7th Heaven		Movie: "Willy Wonka & the Chocolate Factory"				Whose? Whose?	700 Club		
(6)	Hollywood	Seinfeld	Dog Eat Dog		Last Comic Standing		Dateline	News		
(8)	Fortune	Jeopardy!	8 Rules	Life-Bonnie	Jim	Less Than	NYPD Blue	News		
(10)	News-Lehrer		Nova		Secrets of the Dead		P.O.V.	Charlie Rose		
(22)	Rome Is Burning		Beg, Borrow & Deal 2		2003 Poker		Baseball Tonight	SportsCenter		
(34)	Blind Date	Blind Date	Star Trek: Next Gener.		Movie: "Thunderball"					
(18)	Friends	Ent. Tonight	Big Brother 4		Guardian		Judging Amy	News		
(41)	Sports	NASCAR	Best Damn Sports Show Period				Sports	Sports	Best Damn Sports Show	
(15)	Hearts	Movie: "Mr. Deeds"			Bad Boys II	Greenlight	Real Sports	Sex & City	Consequence	
(17)	Sister, Sis.	Lizzie	Movie: "Get a Clue"				Sister, Sis.	Even	Boy World	Proud
(18)	"Trapped"		Movie: "The Last Castle"				Movie: "Training Day"			
(20)	MLB Baseball: Detroit Tigers at Boston Red Sox						Innings	Extra Inn	PGA	ESPNNews
(44)	Movie: "No Greater Love"				Movie: "Justice for Annie, a Moment of Truth Movie"			Golden	Golden	
(5)	Friends	MLB Baseball: Chicago Cubs at Atlanta Braves					Seinfeld	Movie: "Murder at 1600"		
(24)	Hey Arnold!	Rugrats	SpongeBob	Amanda	Cosby	Cosby	Cheers	Cheers	Cheers	Cheers
(25)	How Stella Got		Movie: "Saturday Night Fever"				Movie: "American Graffiti"			
(26)	JAG		JAG		Movie: "Can't Hardly Wait"			Dead Zone		
(27)	"Fatal Attraction" Cont'd		Who Killed Lacl Peterson		MI-5		MI-5	Third Watch		
(12)	Home Imp.	MLB Baseball: Chicago Cubs at Atlanta Braves					News	Rockford Files		
(39)	Live From the Headlines	Live From the Headlines	Larry King Live				NewsNight-Aaron Brown	Lou Dobbs Tonight		

WEDNESDAY EVENING JULY 23, 2003

	7:00	7:30	8:00	8:30	9:00	9:30	10:00	10:30	11:00	11:30
(3)	70s Show	70s Show	Enterprise		Twilight Zone		News		Frasier	Ent. Tonight
(32)	7th Heaven		Movie: "Spies Like Us"				Whose?	Whose?	700 Club	
6	Hollywood	Seinfeld	Fame		Law & Order		Law & Order		News	
8	Fortune	Jeopardy!	My Wife	Lopez	Drew Carey	Drew Carey	Favorite Stars		News	
10	News-Lehrer		National Geo		Six Wives of Henry VIII				Charlie Rose	
(22)	MLB Baseball: Philadelphia Phillies at Chicago Cubs						Baseball Tonight		SportsCenter	
(34)	Blind Date	Blind Date	Star Trek: Next Gener.		Movie: "You Only Live Twice"					
13	Friends	Ent. Tonight	60 Minutes II		Big Brother 4		Cupid		News	
(41)	Sports	MLS Soccer: Revolution at Crew				FOX One	Sports	Sports	Best Damn Sports Show	
(15)	Baby Bed	Movie: "Stuart Little 2"			Sex & City		Greenlight	On Record	Seabiscuit	Movie: "Minority Report"
(17)	Sister, Sis.	Lizzie	Movie: "Gotta Kick It Up"					Sister, Sis.	Even	Boy World / Proud
(18)	Riding Car	On Set	Movie: "The First Wives Club"			Bun-Bun	Movie: "Ballistic: Ecks vs. Sever"			Erotic
(20)	MLB Baseball: Tampa Bay Devil Rays at Boston Red Sox						Innings	SportsPlus	ESPNNews	
(44)	Movie: "Echo"				Movie: "Separated by Murder"				Golden	Golden
(5)	Seinfeld	Friends	Seinfeld	Seinfeld	Ripley's Believe It or Not!		Movie: "The Cable Guy"			
(24)	Hey Arnold!	Rugrats	SpongeBob	Amanda	Cosby	Cosby	All in Family	All in Family	All in Family	All in Family
(25)	"Von Ryan's Express"		Movie: "Total Recall"							
(26)	JAG		Movie: "Vampires"				Movie: "Urban Legend"			
(27)	American Justice		Biography		American Justice		American Justice		Third Watch	
(12)	Home Imp.	Will-Grace	Movie: "Bloodsport"					News		Rockford Files
(39)	Live From the Headlines		Live From the Headlines		Larry King Live		NewsNight-Aaron Brown		Lou Dobbs Tonight	

Events Calendar

Public Computer Access — Hours at the SAD44 Adult Learning Center, Philbrook Street, Bethel are: Tuesday, 9 a.m. to noon; Wednesday, 4:30 to 8:30 p.m.; and Thursday, 9 a.m. to noon for academic instruction and GED preparation, as well as use of the computer lab.

Seniors Lunch every Tuesday and Thursday, 11:30 a.m. at Bethel Methodist Church, Main Street, sponsored by SeniorsPlus. Donation for 60 and older and spouses, \$2.50; all other guests, \$4. Reservations important. For information, menus, reservations, call 824-3168 (also the number to call to apply for Meals on Wheels).

9 a.m. (Thursdays) — Oxford Hills Duplicate Bridge at Town and Country Mobile Home Park community center, Norway. All bridge players invited to attend and bring a friend or two. Refreshments. For more information, call Mimi Bell (743-8081) or Rowena Palmer (743-2882) or e-mail bridge@megalink.net.

10 a.m. — Story Hour for preschoolers (older children welcome) at Whitman Memorial Library, Bryant Pond. Started July 1. FMI: 674-2143.

Thru September, daily Wednesday thru Thursday — 70-minute Heritage Boat Tours on the Androscoggin 10:30 a.m., 1 p.m., 2:45 p.m. 4:30 p.m. Cost: \$10 for adults and \$5 for children six to 12, free for under six. Northern Heritage Park, 961 Main Street, Berlin, N.H. www.northernheritage.org

Thru July 25
Androscoggin River Source-to-the-Sea Canoe Trek, a series of day paddles with special events, starts at Lake Umbagog National Wildlife Refuge near Errol, N.H. and ends in Brunswick. Free, but pre-registration required. For details, call either (603) 466-3433 or 527-2916 or visit the Web site at www.androscogginriver.org.

Thursday, July 17
7 p.m. — The Shaw Brothers will present traditional and contemporary music, humor, poems, stories at Community Arts Center, 155 Emery Street, Berlin, N.H. Advance tickets: \$15, at door (if available) \$18. Tickets available at Gills Flower Shop, Berlin and North Country Florist, Gorham, N.H. FMI: (603) 752-1028.

5:30 p.m. — Oxford County Democrats will meet at Stony Brook Campground, Route 2, Hanover for a potluck picnic (5:30 p.m.) and meeting (6:30 p.m.). FMI: call Cathy Newell at 875-2116.

8 p.m. — At Deertrees Theatre, Harrison: The Humble Farmer, Downeast humor with a difference. FMI or tickets, call 583-6747.

7 to 8 p.m. — "Bee Lining," part of the White Mountain National Forest Androscoggin Ranger District Discovery Summer Discovery Program at Dolly Copp Visitor Center, Route 16, Gorham, N.H. FMI: (603) 752-7202.

7:30 p.m. — Chamber Music Festival of the International Musical Arts Institute in Fryeburg will present the Piano Quintet by Cesar Franck along with Beethoven's Piano Trio Op. 1 No. 1 and the Piano Quartet in c minor by Brahms. Admission: \$10/\$5 for seniors and students. FMI: call 935-7696.

Friday, July 18
10:30 a.m. — Oxford County Retired Teachers Association fun meeting at Norway Unitarian-Universalist Church, Norway. Call 539-2552 to reserve for lunch.

7:30 p.m. — Chamber Music Festival of the International Musical Arts Institute in Fryeburg (Gibson Building, Bradley Street) Piano Quintet, Op. 1, by Dohnanyi, the String Sextet in G Major by Brahms and Schumann's Piano Quartet, Op. 47. Admission: \$10/\$5 for seniors and students. FMI: call 935-7696.

Saturday, July 19
Mollycokett Day — Parade ("The Good Olde-Days"), races, arts and crafts, entertainment, food, contests, fireworks. Old time Fiddlers Contest will take place in the gazebo on Bethel Common with registration from

4:30 to 5:30 p.m. Anyone interested in sponsoring any of the above should call the Mahoosuc Arts office at 824-3575.

5:30 p.m. — 7th Annual Old Time Fiddlers Contest, on the Bethel common. 4:30 p.m. registration. Free to the public, cash prizes for contestants. FMI: 824-3575.

1 to 5 p.m. — Masonic Child Identification Program will be held on Mollycokett Day in Bethel. Children toddler to 18 years can be videotaped and fingerprinted at no charge. All information is given to parent or guardian. FMI: call Crawford Perry at 824-4446.

9 a.m. to 2 p.m. — Telstar Car Show at Telstar Regional High School. Seventeen classes for cars, trucks and motorcycles. Trophies for top three in each class. Cost: \$5 for car, driver and one passenger. Food, music, yard sale, and 50/50 drawing. Spectators welcomed. Donations asked: \$2 for adults and \$1 for students. Open to public.

2 to 4 p.m. — Maine author Van Reid will sign copies of his new book, "Mrs. Roberto, or, the Widow Worries of the Moosepath League" at Books-N-Things, Oxford Plaza. FMI: call 743-7197 or e-mail booksnthings@gnv.net.

5 and 6 p.m. — Chicken Pie Supper (w/potato, veg, dessert, and beverage) at Bolster's Mills United Methodist Church. Adults, \$7 and children under 12, \$3. Reservations taken only on Saturday between 9 a.m. and 1 p.m. by calling the church at 583-9024.

9 a.m. to 3 p.m. — Craft Fair at VFW Hall, Route 93 off Route 5, Lovell. Refreshments and drinks. FMI: 928-6040.

2 to 4 p.m. Open House at Finnish American Heritage Center, West Paris.

10 a.m. to 2 p.m. — Growing and Using Lavender workshop at Shaker Village, New Gloucester. (926-4597). Cost: \$25. Preregistration required.

9 a.m. to 5 p.m. — Classic Car Exhibit, featuring Robert Bahre's private collection during the annual Paris Hill Founders' Day Celebration around the green. Horse and wagon tour. Visit with "Hannibal Hamlin, tour of old jail, antiques, collectibles, food. Cost to view cars: adults, \$8; \$2 for ages 12 and under.

5 to 6 p.m. — Public Supper at West Paris Grange Hall. Adults, \$5; children under 12, \$2.50.

2 p.m. — Culinary Herbs lecture at Hedgehog Hill Farm, Sumner.

10 a.m. to 5 p.m. — At Northern Forest Heritage Park, Main Street, Berlin, N.H.: Exploring our Past Festival. Adults: \$5, ages 12 to six, \$3, under six free. \$1 off for Coos County residents. FMI: (603) 752-7202.

8 a.m. to 3 p.m. — Big Sale at historic Rumford Center Meeting House. Housewares, collectibles, furniture, lawn equipment, and more. Bake sale. Proceeds benefit Village Improvement Society and Rumford Center Church.

8 p.m. — Paul Sullivan in Piano Concert at Deertrees Theatre, Harrison. Tickets: \$14, available at Books N Things, Bethel, and at Box Office (583-6747).

7:30 p.m. — Chamber Music Festival of the International Musical Arts Institute in Fryeburg (Gibson Building, Bradley Street) will present works by Beethoven, including the String Quartet Op. 132, the String Trio in c minor, Op. 9 No. 3 and Piano Trio Op. 70, No. 2. Admission: \$10/\$5 for seniors and students. FMI: call 935-7696.

Sunday, July 20
2 to 4 p.m. — Visitors Day at Maine Veterans' Home, 477 High Street, South Paris. Tours available. Light refreshments. FMI: call



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743-6300.

11:30 to 2:30 p.m. — "Furbearers of New England" display at Androscoggin Ranger Station, Gorham, N.H. part of the White Mountain National Forest Androscoggin Ranger District Discovery Summer Discovery Program. Free. FMI: (603) 752-7202.

7 to 8 p.m. — "Leave No Trace," part of the White Mountain National Forest Androscoggin Ranger District Discovery Summer Discovery Program at Dolly Copp Visitor Center, Route 16, Gorham, N.H. Free. FMI: (603) 752-7202.

2 p.m. — Chamber Music Festival of the International Musical Arts Institute in Fryeburg will present Sunday Concert for Seniors at Fryeburg Congregational Church. Admission: free for seniors, all others \$5. FMI: call 935-7696.

2 to 4 p.m. — Open House at Finnish American Heritage Center, West Paris.

Monday, July 21
7 p.m. and 9:30 p.m. — Bob Markey, Maine's king of comedy, will perform at Deertrees Theatre, Harrison. For reservations and further information, call the Deertrees Box Office at 583-6747.

Tuesday, July 22
8 p.m. — Sebago-Long Lake Music Festival (chamber music) of Fryeburg will perform at Deertrees Theatre, Harrison. Tickets: \$15/\$8. FMI: 935-1291.

Wednesday, July 23
8 p.m. — White Mountain National Forest Wednesday Night With A Ranger speaker series will present The Goals and Gear of Fire in the Forest by Fire Program Manager Craig Young. FMI: (603) 466-2713 (Androscoggin Ranger Station). Free.

10 a.m. and 1 p.m. — At Deertrees Theatre, Harrison: Michael Wingfield, drums and songs of the African New World, a program of the Wednesday Children's shows. Tickets: \$5 for adults, \$4 for children, available at Maine Discoveries, Norway and Box Office (583-6747).

Thursday, July 24
5:30 p.m. — Public Supper at Albany Congregational Church, Hunts Corner Road. \$6 for adults and \$3 for children under 12. Menu: beans, hot dishes, brown bread, rolls, salads, pies, beverages.

7 to 9 p.m. — Open House in honor of Arlene Greenleaf's 20 years as director of Bethel Ambulance Service. Card/money tree.

Friday, July 25
7 p.m. — Offshore Aces Cajun Band Amphitheatre, 961 Main Street, Berlin, N.H. Tickets: adults \$10, ages 6 to 12 \$5, under 6 free. FMI: call (603) 752-7202.

7 p.m. — At Northern Forest Heritage Park, Berlin, N.H.: Festival du Bois Concert. Adults: \$10, ages 12 to six \$5, under six free. FMI: (603) 752-7202.

Monthly Meetings

First Sunday: Bethel Snow Twisters Club meets at Clayton Crockett's at 7 p.m. September through April.
Windy Valleys Snowmobile Club meeting at Newry Town Office.
Second Sunday: Western Maine Mountain Trail Mixers ATV Club meets at 6:30 p.m. at Sun Valley Sports, 129 Sunday River Road, Bethel. New members welcome.

Every Sunday: Western Mountains Meditation Group, Center for Natural Healing, 47 Pioneer Street, West Paris, 9:30 a.m. 674-3961.
Bethel Freedom Group AA meeting, 6 to 7 p.m. ST/BB at Bethel Fire Station.

First and Third Monday: Bethel Board of Selectmen meets at the Town Office, 7 p.m.

Newry Fire Department monthly meetings: first Monday, 7 p.m., at Sunday River Station; third Monday, 7 p.m., Bear River Station.

Franklin Grange #124, 7:00 p.m., call 674-3046 or 674-3862 for more info.

Greenwood Planning Board meets at Town Office, 7 p.m.

Second Monday: Newry Mother's Club meets, 7:30 p.m.

Daughters of Union Veterans of the Civil War, 1 Crover Tent #17, Ellis River Riders meet at Andover Fire Station, 7 p.m.

Second and Fourth Monday: SAD44 Board of Directors meets in Bethel, Woodstock or Andover at 7:30 p.m. Call 824-2185 for place.

Gilead Fire Department meets at the Fire Station at 7 p.m.

Every Monday: Mahoosuc Music Makers rehearsal, 7-9 p.m., West Parish Congregational Church (downstairs).

First Tuesday: Upton selectmen meet at 7 p.m. at Town Office.

Western Maine Kniters Guild meets at Christ Church, Norway, 10 a.m. to noon.

First and Third Tuesday: The Greater Rumford Alliance for the Mentally Ill-Children and Adolescent Network (GRAM-CAN) Support, education and advocacy. Meets in the former St. John's rectory from 6:30-8 p.m. in Rumford. Contact Diane at 369-0542.

Bethel Area Promise Keepers, 7 p.m., Bethel Alliance Church.

FACTS (Family/Friends And Consumers Together for Support) 6:30-8 p.m. at Ethel Bisbee Adult Learning Center. Contact Rhonda at 824-3076.

Greenwood selectmen meet at Town Office, 5 p.m.

Woodstock Planning Board meets at 7 p.m. at Town Office.

Woodstock Selectmen meet at 5 p.m. at Town Office.

Second Tuesday: Mundt-Allen Post, American Legion, meeting at 7:30 p.m. Supper starts at 6:30 p.m.

Telstar Alumni Association meets in the guidance conference room.

Ladies' Bible Fellowship, 7 p.m., Bethel Alliance Church.

Second and Fourth Tuesday: The Bethel Lions Club meets at the Rebel Family Restaurant, West Bethel at 6:30 p.m.

Third Tuesday: Pine Tree Legal Assistance at Bethel Area Health Center, starting at 10 a.m.

Greenwood selectmen will hold their first budget meeting immediately following the selectmen's meeting.

Every Tuesday: Bethel Rotary Club meets at The Bethel Inn, 7:30 a.m.

Andover Board of Selectmen meets at the Town Office, 7 p.m.

Newry Board of Selectmen meets at the Town Office, 9 a.m.

CrossCountry Quilters will meet at the Robinson House or Bethel Library from 1 to 3 p.m.

Cub Scout Pack 566 meeting, 6 p.m., at Crescent Park School Cafeteria.

Mollycokett Chorus practice, 6:30-9 p.m. at Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints, Skeefield Rd., Oxford (Call 824-2469 for info).

First Wednesday: Greenwood Historical Society meets at the Society Building, Main St., Locke Mills, 7 p.m.

Bethel Area Archery Spinning Group, 10 a.m. to 3 p.m., West Parish Congregational Church. Potluck luncheon.

The Ash-Risley Detachment of the Marine Corps League meets at 6:30 p.m. at the VFW Post #2520, Berlin, NH. All current marines and former Marines are welcome to attend. For more information, please call (603) 237-9395 or (603) 752-3042.

Church Services

Bethel

Bethel Alliance Church—10:00 a.m. worship. Sunday School at 9:00 a.m. Evening fellowship and youth ministries 6:00pm, Sundays. Prayer fellowship 7:00 p.m. Wednesdays.
Church of the Nazarene—Pastor Chuck Mason, 9:30 a.m. Sunday school (2 hours, including recreation activities; call 824-4028 for transportation), 10:30 a.m. morning worship, 6 p.m. evening service. 824-4028 (voice mail) or 824-7289 for more info.

West Parish Congregational—Rev. Daniel Johnson. 10:30 a.m. worship. Nursery care provided. Prayer, Tues., 8 a.m. For more information call 824-8860.

Our Lady of the Snows—Mass—Saturday, 4:30 p.m. March 29-Dec. 21 Pastor Rev. Gerald A. Levesque 743-2606.
United Methodist—Geoffrey Gross, Pastor, 10:30 a.m. Sunday worship. Rainbow Church School, 3-5 p.m. Thursdays (all ages welcome).

West Bethel Union—9 a.m. worship and Sunday school. For info. call 836-2844 or 836-2882. Rev. Earl H. Bell.

Pleasant Valley Bible—Pastor Clifford McMullen, 9 a.m. Sunday school. 10 a.m. worship. 836-2828.

Episcopal House Church—Holy communion service the third or fourth Sunday of every month at 4:00pm at 38 Chapman Street. For further info, call the Reverend Gwyneth Bohr at 824-2913.

Church of Christ—at home of Keith Hamel, minister, 507 Walker's Mill Road (Rt. 26), Bethel. Worship at 10 a.m. Sunday. Bible study at 11 a.m. 824-3577.

Disciples of Christ Fellowship—10:30 a.m. first four Saturdays of each month. Services held in the dining hall of the West Parish Congregational Church. Contact: George Weber, 892-0779

Woodstock

Bryant Pond Baptist—Rev. Ivan Hatch (interrim), Sundays: Sunday School 9:15am; Adult Bible Fellowship 9:15am; Morning Worship 10:30am; Evening Service 6:00pm; Wednesdays: Kid's hour 6:30pm; Prayer meeting & bible study 6:30pm.

Woodstock Seventh-day Adventist—Pastor Richard Wright (207-797-9678), Saturday: 9:20 a.m. Sabbath school. 11 a.m. worship service.

Pinhook Meeting House (Rt. 232, North Woodstock)—Hymn Sing, last Friday of each month, 7 p.m. All welcome.

Mahoosuc Mountains Friends—a worship group meeting in the unprogrammed tradition of Friends (Quakers) - Sundays, 9:30 a.m. at the Whitman Memorial Library, Bryant Pond. Newcomers welcome. First Day School activities provided for children. Call Arla Patch 665-2224 for more info.

Andover

First Congregational Church—Pastor Jane Rich. Sunday morning worship 10am followed by coffee fellowship. Giving Garden, every Wednesday at 3:30. Produce donated to hungry families. All are welcome. Thursday, choir practice at 6:30. All are welcome.

Calvary Bible Church—Pastor John O'Keefe. Summer hours: Sunday AM worship 9:30am with a brunch following. Wednesday bible study and prayer meeting 6:30pm, Route 5, S. Andover. 392-1121.

Gorham, N.H.

Assembly of God—Pastor Paul Leigen. Sunday School 9:30 a.m., Sunday service 10:30 a.m., Sunday evening service 7 p.m., Wednesday Bible study 7 p.m. (603-466-2851).

Locke Mills

Locke Mills Union—Rev. Micheal Johnson. Worship will be held at 10:00am.

East Stoneham

Oxford County United Parish—Rev. George Froberg, 10 a.m. worship and Sunday School; Sunday morning worship will be held at the North Waterford Church beginning November 3 and continuing through the winter months.

Newry

Newry Community Church—Sunday worship service, 9 a.m. Rodney H. Hanscom, pastor. (Services in the church will resume in April)

Albany

Congregational Church—Hunt's Corner, 9:30 a.m. Sunday worship and Sunday School; Pastor Eddie Gammon. Bible Study 6:30 Thursdays at the church.

Norway/Paris

Christian Science Society (5 Aldrich Ave.)— Sunday Service 10 a.m., Wed. Testimony Service 7:30 p.m. Call 824-4099 for info or ride.

Trinity Evangelical Lutheran Church—Route 117N, S. Paris, Pastor Tom Teichmann. Sunday Morning Service 9 a.m. with coffee fellowship immediately after.

North Paris Federation—Morse Hill Road, North Paris. Sunday Service: 8 a.m. Pastor Bruce Tynes. 674-2968
Singspiration third Sunday each month alternating with West Parish Baptist Church at 7pm.

Oxford Hills Friends (Quakers)—Sunday worship 9:30 a.m., Children's program, 9:40 a.m. at HOPE Ripley Center, High Street, S. Paris. Call 583-2780 for more information.

Christ Episcopal Church—35 Paris St. Sunday services at 8 and 10 am; Wednesdays at 9:30 am. Rev. Anne Stanley. Call 743-6782 for more information.

Rumford

St. Barnabas Episcopal Church—Mass, 9:30 a.m. Rev. Canon Henry Male, Jr. Special holidays will be announced. Stone church at the rotary.

Rumford Center

Praise Assembly of God—Pastor James Michaels. Sunday School 9:00am, Sunday worship service at 10:00am. Sunday prayer meeting at 6:00pm. Wednesday night bible study at 7:00pm. East Andover Rd. For more information, call 364-3856.

Rumford Point

Rumford Point Church—Sunday service, Sunday School, 8:30 a.m. Pastor Michael F. Johnson.

West Paris

Unitarian Universalist Church of West Paris—UU Rev. Joy Gasta, 9 a.m. worship (Sept.-mid-June). 674-2365.

West Paris Baptist—Sunday Worship 9:15 a.m., Bruce Tynes, Pastor. Adult Education and Sunday School 10:15 a.m.; Sunday evening worship with Bible reading 7:00 p.m.; Wednesday evening choir practice at 6 followed by prayer meeting and Bible study, 7 p.m. (Third Sunday of each month, Singspiration alternating between North Paris Federated and West Paris Baptist).

West Paris Congregational Church—Linda Kimball, pastor. Sunday Worship 11 a.m.; Sunday School 10 a.m.

Harrison

Bolster's Mills United Methodist Church—Bolster's Mills Road, Harrison, Maine Rev. Walter R. Brown, Pastor. Sunday worship at 8:45 a.m. Church school 10:15a.m. for kids Kindergarten - Grade 12. Call 583-9024 or (207) 998-7040 for more information.

Summer

East Summer Congregational—Linda Kimball, pastor. Sunday service, 9 a.m.

Sunday River Skiway

Sunday River Christian Ministry—Rev. Don Coverdale. On-mountain interdenominational worship service every Sunday December to April. "Peace be with you" til we meet again.

Support Services

Abused Women's Advocacy Project

AWAP serves all of Oxford County and provides emergency shelter, court advocacy and support groups with child care. Rumford office 369-0750; Norway office 743-5806; 24-hour hotline 1-800-559-2927.

Alcohol/Drug Treatment

Gateway Recovery Services—Outpatient counseling services. For info. call 207-743-7580.

Diabetes Support Group

The Diabetes Support Group meets on the third Wednesday of each month. The meeting is held from 6:30-7:30pm in the Harper Conference Center in the Ripley Medical Building. All are welcome to attend. For more information, please contact Betty Sirois at 743-5933.

Exchanges

District Exchange Community Thrift Shop accepts donations of in-season clothing in clean, wearable condition only. Drop-off hours and shopping Monday 1 to 4 p.m.; Thursday 3 to 5 p.m. and Saturday, 10 a.m. to 12 p.m. Please DO NOT leave articles on the porch or around the entrance when the Exchange is not open. Anything left outside will be thrown away, and that costs the Exchange money.

The Woodstock Seventh Day Adventist Church Community Service Center announces that individuals or families requiring assistance with food needs in the South Woodstock, Bryant Pond, West Paris and Sumner areas are invited to call 674-2566, 674-2663, or 665-2226 to learn more details.

MS Self-Help Group

Meets the first Friday of the month from 1-2:30 p.m. at the West Parish Congregational Church, next to Gould Academy. For more information, call Gale Tour at 836-2900.

Mental Illness Support Group

Beacon House Social Club, 150 Congress Street, Rumford, a drop-in social club for adults suffering with mental, emotional or physical illness, provides support, relaxation and socialization. Monday, 1 to 5 p.m.; Tuesday, 9 a.m. to 2 p.m.; Wednesday, 9 a.m. to 8 p.m.; Thursday,

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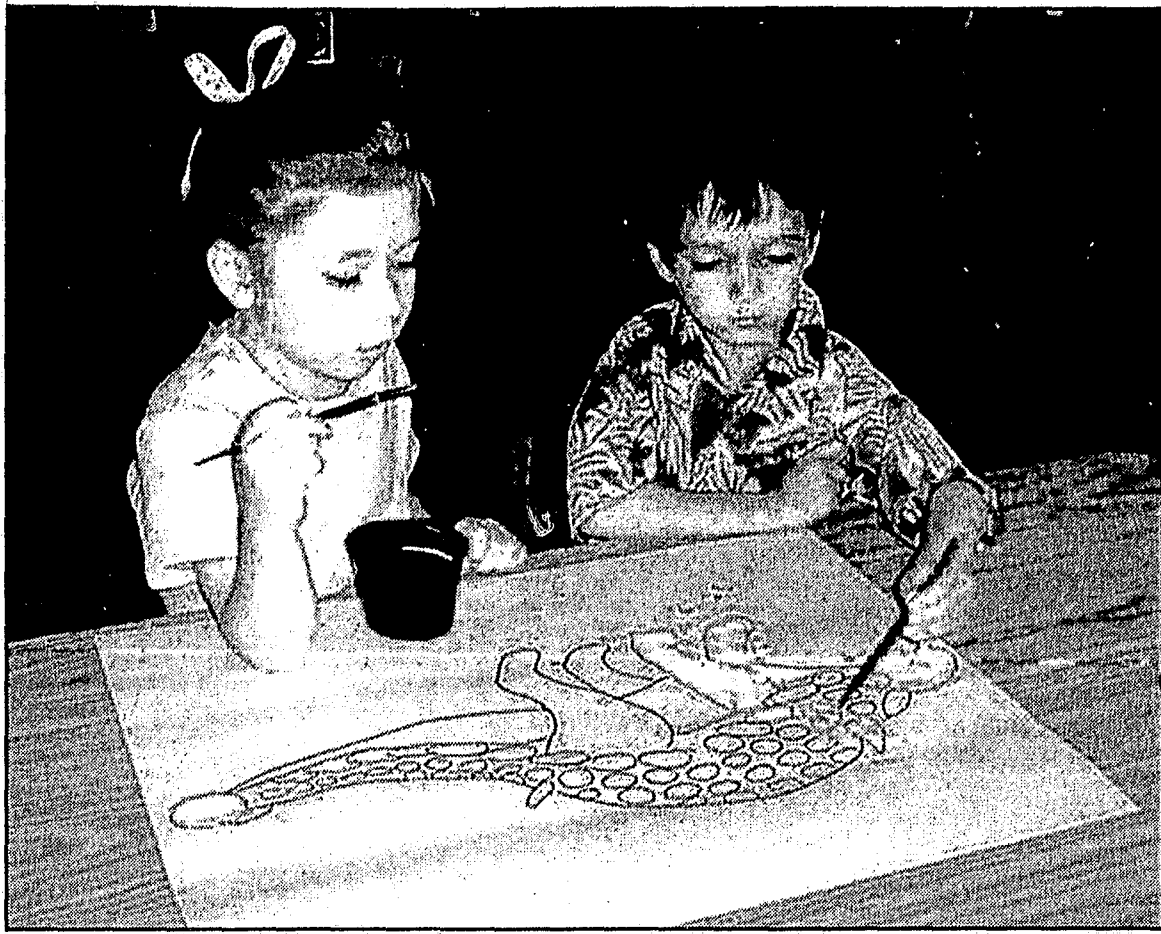
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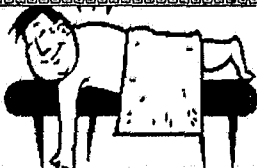
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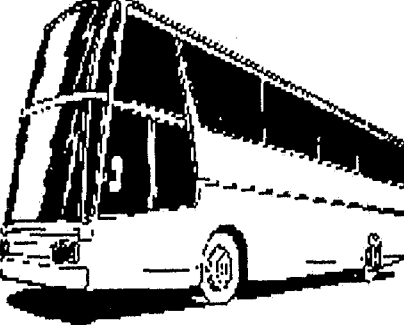
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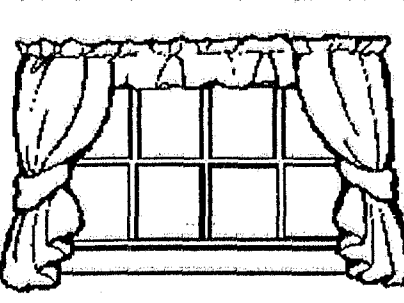
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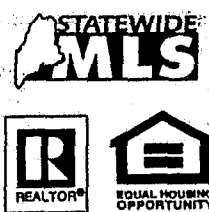
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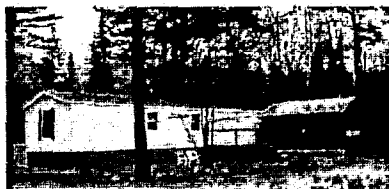
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Mt. View Circle. Two parcels available in this quiet West Bethel neighborhood. \$12,900 each

Johnson Park - Two 1/2 +/- acre parcels for sale in this quiet Bethel neighborhood. \$9,900 each

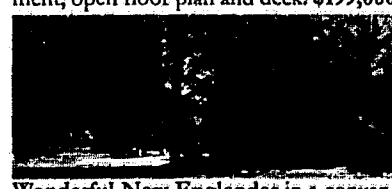
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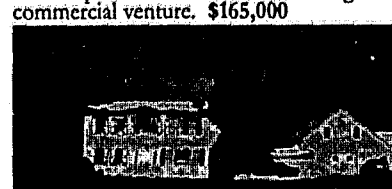
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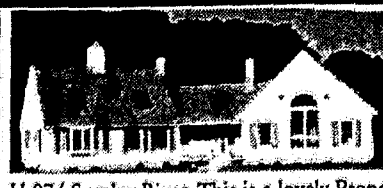
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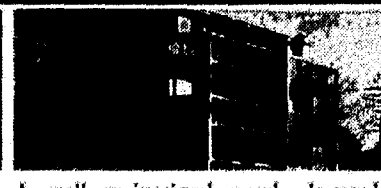
Chamberlain Resort, Hanover. Privacy and views of the mountains and river from this 2 bdrm condo just 8 miles from Sunday River. Furnished. \$89,900



H-129/ This house has three bedrooms and is furnished. It is available for a long term rental for the right tenant. Please call today for a showing of this house.



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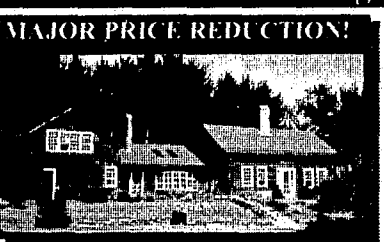
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Great Commercial Property Rt. 26. This 4.2 acres is close to Sunday River and Rest area on the Androscoggin River. Located on Rt. 26 and Mills Road this is a perfect spot for a business. \$64,900

115 Acres Greenwood. This land offers great views with the potential for development. Next to Mt. Abram this could be your own paradise or new adventure. \$199,900

Woodstock - One Lot Left- 5 +/- acre lot in covenant protected Meadowlark Valley Subdivision. located on Gore Road, near Rt. 232. Set your home amongst the Junipers and boulders and gaze at the panoramic views of surrounding mountains and valley. \$22,500

Powder Ridge Land- Nice gently sloping wooded lot to build your vacation home or year round home. Nice views of the valley and ski slopes. Great location! 1.06 +/- acres. \$36,500

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Johnson Park, Bethel: Newer home features bright sunny exposures all day, hardwood floors with open kitchen, dining & living room concept, oversized office & 3 nice BR's. With its large garage it sits on a double lot on a dead-end road in a lovely country setting. Studio possibilities over garage. \$154,900



Birch Lane, Hanover: Sun-drenched rooms with vaulted ceilings, extensive use of lovely tile and quality construction throughout this contemporary lead you to a billiards room, bar, magnificent indoor pool, hot tub and sauna. Sitting high on 20 private acres overlooking a man-made pond with footbridge, you'll marvel at the landscaping. \$399,000



Walkers Mill Rd, Bethel: Very attractive contemporary with 4BR's in main part of the house, plus office and family room. An additional 1BR apartment on lower level can be rented for income, kept as guest quarters, or mother-in-law apt. Close to Bethel Village, Sunday River Ski Resort and area recreation. Lots of living and sleeping space for the price! \$149,900



Mt. Abram, Greenwood: One of the nicest homes in Mt. Abram Village, this 4BR, 3 1/2 Bath beauty must be viewed to be appreciated! Sitting high at the end of the road with great slope views, it boasts all the amenities needed to entertain or have guests: lots of glass, fireplace, rec room, bar, hot tub and plenty of space. \$199,000



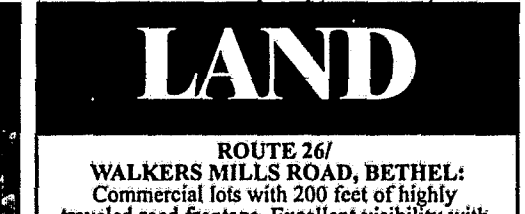
Mt. Abram Condo, Greenwood: This first floor condo sleeps 4 and comes fully furnished, complete with a great fireview woodstove for ambience after a day of skiing. Walk to Mt. Abram's slopes or drive the few miles to Sunday River, your choice! Only \$69,500



Gore Rd, Woodstock: One, if not THE best sandy beach on North Pond. Right by the water, this real-estate home has a southern exposure and a great enclosed porch and deck to enjoy the beautiful lakefront views. With easy accessibility, paved driveway and large garage, this house is waiting to be your year-round lake home or second home getaway. Newly reduced to \$229,000



Main St, Woodstock: Fixer-upper in a great location, just waiting for a handyman or entrepreneur to bring out its potential. Great spot for a family or a small business on a highly visible corner lot convenient to village's stores, post office and lake. 4BR's and an attached barn for only \$49,900



Grand View Estates, Bethel: Serenity, mountain views and spectacular sunsets await you at Grand View Estates. This newly designed subdivision, off the Intervale Road, minutes from the town of Bethel, is just waiting for you to build your ski/vacation or year round home. Boasting views of Sunday River Ski Resort, the lots range in size from 1.1 acres to 1.9 acres. Don't wait to pick out a prime lot for your home. Call today for a viewing. Prices start at \$23,400



Heikkinen Road, Woodstock: Charm abounds in this mid-nineteenth century colonial that retains much of its original style. Antique wood floors, ceilings and clawfoot tub transport to another era. You must ask for a showing to see everything this house has to offer. Was \$134,000 NOW \$124,000!!



North Main St, Woodstock: Ideal ski home! This 3 bedroom, 2 bath saltbox offers impressive views of Lake Christopher and is located on direct route to Mt. Abram and Sunday River Skiway. Propane furnace, fireplace & hot water, full walk-out daylight basement, and easy to maintain. \$87,000



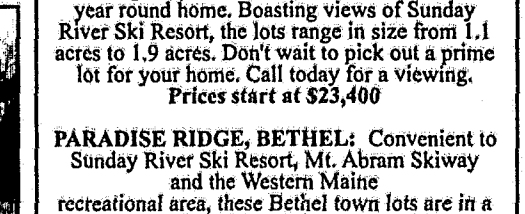
Mt. Abram Skiway, Greenwood: Two-family chalet has seasonal slope views of Mt. Abram within a short walk to the slopes. Besides a kitchen, bedroom and 1/2 bath, the ground level has a spacious LR/DR combo complete with hearth and woodstove. Main unit also has that PLUS an additional 2 bedrooms on the upper floor, for a total of 4 bedrooms in the house. Occupy one unit and rent the other! \$129,500



Intervale Rd, Bethel: Beautiful New England farmhouse in excellent condition, complete with screened porch. Four bedrooms, lots of sunny windows and a great location close to town. Two garages, one oversized and heated with commercial possibilities. Don't wait to ask for a showing. \$189,000



Mt. Tom Heights, Sumner: Rustic log cottage on 41 acres with spectacular views of the surrounding mountains. This cottage is solar-powered, has two sources of heat and a full basement. Hunting, snowmobiling, hiking, and biking right out your front door! This cottage is very private and is selling for only \$89,900



Oak Tree Estates, Greenwood: If you're looking for a nice, small subdivision on a hill with South Pond, Twichell Pond and Lake Christopher all in close proximity, these lots are definitely a must-see. Prices vary from \$12,900, to \$14,900, based on size and location. Possible views!



Twitchell Rd, Woodstock: Gorgeous newer 4 BR cape in immaculate condition on quiet, dead end. Stunning 240 degree views of surrounding mountains, stone walls, and sunsets will have you sitting on the wrap around deck or screened porch! Lots of extras with this quality built house: skylights, hardwood floors, tile, upper deck off master BR, daylight basement and 2 car garage. Minutes from beaches, ski areas, and snowmobile/hiking trails. \$259,000



So. Rumford Rd, Rumford: Here's a great starter home that's well-landscaped and sits on one acre of land. It has 3 bedrooms, 1 bath, and an attached two-car garage. It's close to Androscoggin River recreation and yet still convenient to area ski resorts. REDUCED TO \$59,900!



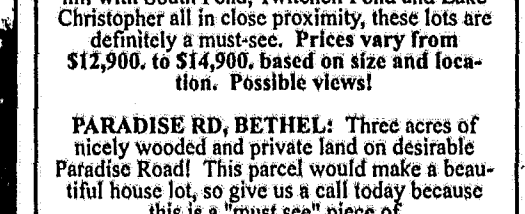
Rte. 2, Rumford: Beautiful 3BR chalet on almost 3.5 acres in a quiet neighborhood. Nice 2 car garage, paved driveway and lots of shade trees are just a few of the things that make this home desirable. Only 13 miles to Sunday River Access road, just minutes to town and priced just right at \$125,000



E. Bethel Rd, Bethel: Three bedroom mobile home with addition on cement slab in a beautiful, convenient setting. Over an acre, flower beds, lovely lawn and nice 2 car garage with upper storage are just a few of the features that make it worth a look. Call for a viewing today! \$73,900



Willis Mills Rd, Greenwood: You'll find this wonderful house with spectacular views on 2 1/2 +/- acres "where the blacktop ends"! A new master suite w/bath is nearing completion, so with 2 additional BR's, another bath, screened porch, large yard & woods all around, your dream can come true. Minutes from great fishing on Oversee Pond and many other outdoor activities, including local ski areas. Call for a showing! \$129,500



Middle Intervale, Bethel: Androscoggin River Frontage in an upscale subdivision, close to Sunday River and Bethel Village amenities. A full two and a half acres of lovely wooded riverbank just waiting for your home plans. Let us show you the possibilities. \$57,900

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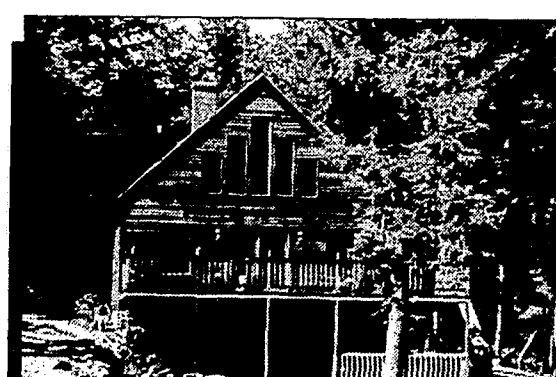
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APPEALING SALTBOX: This wonderfully designed and maintained home is privately situated on a nicely landscaped 1.8+/- Acre lot. 3 bedrooms, 2 1/2 baths, spacious living room with fireplace and an attached 2 car garage. Located in a desirable Bethel neighborhood just outside of the village. This house has it all. **\$215,000**



ATTRACTIVE CONTEMPORARY: Privately situated on a 13+/- Acre parcel of land, this spacious & well designed home features 4 bedrooms, 2 1/2 baths, a beautiful stone fireplace, hardwood flooring, a formal living/dining room, a family room & study. Southern exposure & lots of glass make this home sunny and inviting. Features both an attached 2 car garage and a detached 2 car garage. Private, fenced-in back yard. **\$199,900**



DRAMATIC LOG HOME AT POWDER RIDGE: This 4 bedroom 2 1/2 bath home with BEAUTIFUL VIEWS OF THE MAHOOSUC MOUNTAINS FEATURES UNUSUAL BRITISH COLUMBIAN LOG CONSTRUCTION. Warm and inviting open floor plan includes many special features including a fieldstone fireplace, granite counter tops, expansive windows. A 2 car garage, a full basement and a state-of-the-art heating system round out this exceptional home. **\$489,900**



BETHEL VILLAGE CLASSIC NEW ENGLANDER: Hard to come by location, WALKING DISTANCE TO VILLAGE AMENITIES. This warm and welcoming family home has retained its charm and character with 4 bedrooms and 1 1/2 baths. An oversized screened-porch and wood floors. Plenty of room for expansion in the attached barn. Perfect for a family or second home. Priced to sell! **\$189,000**



LAKE CHRISTOPHER LOG HOME: Wonderful log home located on a very desirable lot on Lake Christopher. Striking pine interior with a nice open floor plan featuring cathedral ceilings, skylights, unfinished daylight basement. Don't hesitate on this rare opportunity! **\$349,000**



SUNNY CUSTOM BUILT CONTEMPORARY HOME: This beautiful contemporary home has expansive views of Sunday River Ski Resort and the Mahoosuc mountain range. Six plus bedrooms, spacious kitchen, hardwood tile floors, double sided stone fireplace, wonderful game room, lock-out apt, garage, tastefully landscaped and much more! **\$849,000**



SOUTH POND SHORES: Three bedroom/two bath log sided home at South Pond Shores. 5+/- acres of land, deeded access to South Pond. Daylight walkout basement. Gas fireplace. **\$179,000**



STORYBOOK COTTAGE: Located on top of Sunny Hills, this home has many unique and delightful details. Great windows that bring the outside in, small farm pond, unsurpassed views of Sunday River Ski Resort. Truly a home of character. **\$389,000**



CHARMING CAPE W/ BEAUTIFUL VIEWS OF NORTH POND: Three bedroom dormered Cape with beautiful North Pond views. Tastefully renovated with cherry kitchen, hardwood floor, fireplace, wrap around deck, wonderful master bedroom suite. Newly built oversized two car garage with breezeway. **NOW \$185,000**



Circa 1820's center chimney cape set upon a 2+/- Acre lot with beautiful mountain and pasture views. Unique 12 ft. diameter 4 sided fireplace. 3 bedrooms. Great restoration potential. **\$79,000**



WELL MAINTAINED SPACIOUS HOME: Located in the Village of Bethel, this home has nice woodwork, hardwood floors, large kitchen with family room, dining room, sunny living room, four bedrooms, two baths. In-law apt, barn, two car garage. **\$239,000**



DELIGHTFUL THREE BEDROOM LOG SIDED HOME: Located in a nice rural subdivision, this two year old home has a nice open floor plan. Hardwood floors, gas woodstove, unfinished daylight basement with many possibilities. **\$169,000**



PARKWAY PROFESSIONAL BUILDING: Two 1050 square foot commercial retail office space condominiums available in newly built building on The Parkway. Excellent visibility. Create your own interior layout. State of the art cable hookups, central air, ample paved parking, handicap accessible. **\$137,900 & \$145,900**



Ski Chalet: Construction has begun on the perfect weekend get-a-way. Located on Mountain View Rd, lot has beautiful views of Sunday River. Home is chalet style, log sided, metal roof, center chimney, Anderson windows and sliders, cathedral ceiling in great room and master bedroom, open floor plan, 3 bedrooms, full bath, and deck to enjoy the view. Act now to purchase at pre-construction price. **\$159,900**

LAND LISTINGS

Mystic Moose Subdivision - 1.04+/- Acre lot privately situated yet only 2 miles from Bethel Village. **\$17,000**
Westwoods - 3+/- Acre nicely elevated parcel with views. Just 3 miles outside of Bethel Village. Adjacent to the snowmobile trails. **\$24,000**
Red House Farm Village - Wonderful opportunity at the base of Sunday River Ski Resort. Water, septic and electricity at this site. **Starting at \$49,000**
Pine Bluff - Inviting subdivision located at Pine Bluff - nicely wooded, mountain views, privacy. **3 Acre lots starting at \$26,500**
Powder Ridge - Several building lots available in this growing and desirable subdivision. Views, close proximity to Sunday River. Established neighborhood. **Call for details**

CONDOMINIUM LISTINGS

Chamberlain: #11 - First floor two bedroom with direct access to pool. Easily accessible to Sunday River. **\$72,000**
Carriage House #4: Located in the heart of Bethel Village near The Bethel Inn & Country Club. One bedroom w/ additional sleeping loft, 1 1/2 baths. **\$46,900**
Eden Ridge: Unit 4G - 3 bedroom, 2 bath, fully furnished unit. **\$149,000**
Unit 4D - 3 bedroom, 2 bath tri-level townhouse. **\$159,000**
Barker Brook townhomes: Located close to the ski resort. Immaculate condition. Furnished. 2 bedrooms plus sleeping loft, 2 baths and 1 car garage. **\$159,900**
Millbrook townhomes: Luxury golf course townhomes in the heart of ski country. **Details available**
Sunday River Estates - 3 bdrm, 2 bath townhouse conveniently located on the Sunday River Road. Attractive & spacious. **Unit #3 - \$150,000**

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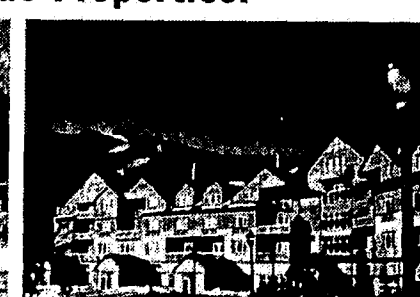
Quarter Share (13 weeks) ownership privileges include year round use of all hotel amenities including the private Crown Club facilities, private owners lockers, plus the ability to use owners only space available at any of the Company's Grand Resort Hotels. In addition, owners are eligible for RCI membership & their exchange program.

Units Currently Available to Purchase:
Sleep 2, Studios: \$14,000 to \$25,000 (2 Handicap Units Available)
Sleep 4, Studios: \$17,500 to \$27,900
Sleep 6, 1 BR: \$33,000 to \$39,900 (Dormer Units Available)
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Sleep 8, Lockout: \$34,000 to \$46,000 (With Deck)
Sleep 8, Penthouse: \$60,000
Sleep 10, 2 BR: \$63,900 to \$69,900
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Sleep 6, Studios w/Loft: \$60,000
Sleep 4, 1 BR: \$48,900 to \$54,000
Sleep 6, 1 BR: \$48,900 to \$54,000
Sleep 8, 1 BR: \$69,000 to \$89,900
Sleep 8, Lockout: \$40,000 to \$55,700
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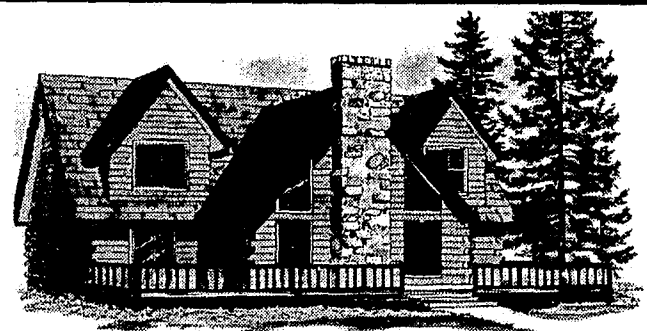
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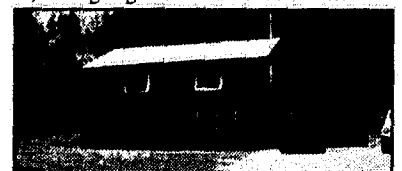
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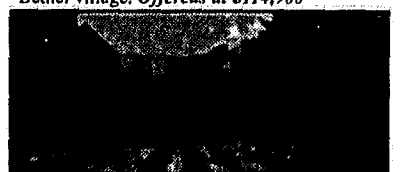
Charming farmhouse with 300 feet of Bear River waterfront. This property is minutes from Bethel and surrounded by year round recreation possibilities, canoeing in the summer to skiing in the winter. Offered at \$129,000.



Why rent when you can own this great ski property. This log home is a short distance from Sunday River, and walking distance from Bethel village. Offered at \$114,900.



Classic Maine farmhouse close to Lake Christopher. Featuring a large country kitchen, tin ceilings, and hard wood floors. Offered at \$105,000.



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Large parcel tucked away in secluded and peaceful Mason Township. 30 acres bordered by the Ellis River. Offered at \$39,900.

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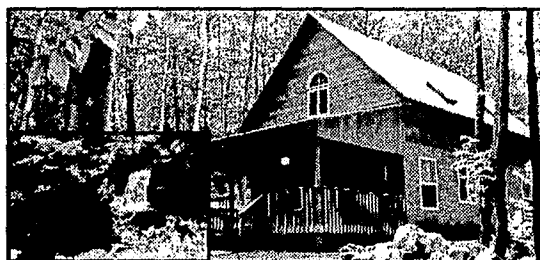
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North Pond, Norway: This charming 3,000 sq. ft. home, formerly a simple cabin in the woods of western Maine, was redesigned by Maryland architect Mark McMurtry of McMurtry Architects to maximize the lovely views of the pond and the active wildlife surrounding it. Based on an Adirondack camp-style home, this tranquil lakeside retreat highlights natural materials of maple and fir throughout. The thoughtful floorplan comprises a living room/dining area featuring columns of local maple tree trunks, and a kitchen. Both rooms look to the pond. A full library and a Master Suite are found on the second level. A screened porch also looks to the pond, providing lovely views. \$395,000



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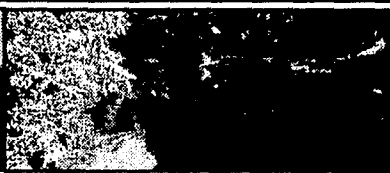
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New Listing - Bear River, Newry: An ample 57+/- acre parcel with approximately 1,400' of extensive frontage on the Bear River, consisting of an open, scenic 12+/- acre field basking in sunny westerly exposure with a great swimming hole and views of Puzzle Mountain PLUS a sloping 45+/- acre wooded parcel offering soft & hardwood cover. What A Great Setting To Enjoy Years of Relaxation & Fun! \$114,900



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Obituaries



TERRIE BROOMHALL DAVIS

Terrie Broomhall Davis, 39, died unexpectedly at the Rumford Hospital as a result of an ultralight aircraft accident Thursday, July 10, 2003. A resident of the area for many years, she made her home on Washington Street, Rumford.

She was born in Rumford, on Feb. 19, 1964, a daughter of Robert and Sally (Weston) Broomhall, and had attended schools in Hampton, Va., and Rumford.

She was employed as a waitress at The Madison Inn & Restaurant and at the Ellis River Variety in

Roxbury. She enjoyed shopping, flying, and loved her son and family.

Survivors include her husband, Danny Rae Davis of Texas; a son, Deric Davis of Rumford; her mother, Mrs. Sally Daigle and her husband John of Rumford; three sisters, Donna Gilbert and husband Albert of Gorham, N.H., Dee-Dee Touchette and husband Ronald of Rumford, Robin Belanger and husband Glenn of Rumford; four brothers, Larry White and companion, Mary Hagan of Mexico, Scott White and wife Tracey of Rumford, Leonard White of Roxbury, and Keith Broomhall of Rumford; three stepbrothers, Doreen Jones of Canton, Darlene Beaudet of Lewiston, and Victoria Broomhall of Newport News, Va.; two stepbrothers, Gerald Broomhall and wife Berta of Locke Mills and Dwayne Broomhall of North Carolina.

Funeral services were held Monday, July 14, at the Meader & Son Funeral Home, Rumford, with the Rev. Charles Jeffries officiating. Interment was at Farrington-Morton Cemetery, Mexico. In lieu of flowers, please contribute to the Deric Davis College Fund, c/o Robin Belanger, 430 Raymond Street, Rumford, ME 04276.

Special Thanks

To my family, relatives and close friends and neighbors - thank you all for the wonderful cards and gifts. I had close to 100 guests as far away as Virginia, South Carolina and Georgia. Thank you all again for making my 80th birthday a blessed and happy one.

God Bless you all,
Doris Williamson Fraser

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Thoughts from the Pastor's study

On Thursday, July 3, we were awakened to find our house on fire. We want to thank the Waterford Fire Department and women's auxiliary for their quick response. Also, the Norway Fire Department sent trucks to their aid as well as the Stoneham Fire Department.

Bradley Grover, fire chief of the Waterford Fire Department, coordinated the firefighting operation. It was unfortunate that the fire had gotten such a start. They were able to maintain the fire and keep it from spreading into the woods, which is all around our former home.

Being in a state of shock and mentally and physically exhausted, a week later, we are coming up from the ashes.

We want to thank the community for their cards and concern for our total loss of 51 years of married life. But, we must go on.

Many of you that read this have gone through similar experiences such as cancer, heart attacks, or some other personal crises. But we must go on.

The book of Hebrews in the New Testament gives a list of great men in the Old Testament: "By faith Abel, by faith Noah, by faith Abraham, by faith Jacob, by faith Moses and the writer of Hebrews goes on in the 12th chapter saying, "Since we are surrounded with such a great cloud of witnesses, let us throw off the sin that so easily entangles, and let us run with perseverance the race marked out for us. Let us fix our eyes on Jesus, the author and perfecter of our faith ...!"

You might disagree with me in my faith, but this faith works as we are surrounded by such a cloud of witnesses in the Bible and in our world today.

Excuse me for preaching, but at 73 I can't stop. Attend the church of your choice and find this power of faith in your life. It is like a charge in the battery and sends us forward in our journey of faith.

Rev. Earl H. Bell
Pastor, West Bethel Union Church and Sweden Community Church

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OPEN HOUSE
Thursday, July 24 ~ 7-9pm
Legion Hall ~ Vernon St., Bethel
In honor of Arlene Greenleaf's 20 years as director of Bethel Ambulance Service.

Although Arlene has passed the hat on to our new director, Dustin Howe, she will remain an active member of our service. In her 20 years as acting director and her 30 years on the service, Arlene has touched many lives, both in the towns she has served and the EMS community.

We hope you will join Bethel Rescue and the Town Office in thanking her for the time she gave as director.

There will be a card/money tree for those who wish to contribute.

World's Fair
North Waterford, Maine
July 25 ~ 26 ~ 27

Family Day at the Fair
Friday, July 25, 2003
Gate Opens at 8am - Admission \$4

8am Gate Opens
9am Pony Weigh-In
9am Pony Pulling Class 1
12 noon Exhibit Hall Opens
Senior 55+ Citizen Lunch with Fells Band in the Dance Hall
Senior Cribbage Tournament
Farmers Pull "Steers"

1pm (Note: right after pony pulling & beans opens)
Kiddie Pedal Tractor Event (Pulling Ring)
Ladies "Skillet Throw"
Men's "Couch Potato Race"
The Grand Ole Opry
Debbie Myers & Her Salute to the Grand Ole Opry

Saturday, July 26, 2003
Gate Opens at 7am - Admission \$4

7am Gate Opens
7:30am Draft Horse Weigh In
9am Exhibit Hall Opens
Farmers Work Horse Show
Halter Classes (Pulling Ring)
Horseshoe Tournament (Singles)
4-H Steer Show (Show Ring)
11am Beano Begins, Goes til 6pm
12 noon 4-H Triple Challenge
Sign up for Pie Eating Contest (All ages groups)

2pm Tractor Pull (Pulling Ring)
2pm Two-Crust Pie Contest (Exhibit Hall)
3pm Pie Eating Contest
3:30pm Apple Pie Contest (Exhibit Hall)
4pm Sign up for Pig Scramble (secretary's office)
4pm Ed Morris & His Balloon Zoo Show
5pm Pig Scramble (Pulling Ring)
7pm Farmers Draft Horse Pull
8pm Ed Morris & the Hypnosis Show
8pm Dance "Hurricane MC" (BYOB Dance Hall)

Sunday, July 27, 2003
Gate Opens at 7am - Admission \$4

7am Gate Opens
8:30am Fun & Games Horse Show
9am Steer Show (Pulling Ring)
10am Exhibit Hall Opens
Classic & Antique Auto Show
Horseshoe Tournament (Doubles)
11am Registration for Cookie Contest
Chocolate Chip Cookie Contest
Beano Begins
12 noon Registration for "Baby Show"
Baking Powder Biscuit Contest
"Baby Show" (Dance Hall)
Sign-Up for 4x4 Truck Pull
Scouting Contest (Show Ring)
4x4 Truck Pull
Drawing of the Calendar Raffle
Scouting Contest

BEANO
Friday 2-8pm ~ Saturday 11am-6pm
Sunday 11am-Close

The North Waterford Fair Association Presents
DEBBIE MYERS
and her tribute to the Grand Ole Opry
Friday, July 25, 2003 ~ 7pm

Edward Morris and His Balloon Zoo Show
Saturday, July 26, 2003 ~ 4pm

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See You Next Year!

Births

Joel and Linda Putnam of Washington Court House, Ohio, announce the birth of their daughter, Julia Rose, born on June 17, 2003, weighing 8 pounds, 1 ounce. Grandparents are Paula and Bill

Smith of Andover and Mary and Phil Learned of Andover and Dixville Notch, N.H.
Julia joins siblings Jessica, Joel Ryan, Jeremy, Jennalee, Joseph, Jodi and Jacob.

Super Crossword Answers

DEAL CARL DAHL BANAL
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RECOIL ATOM INTO POOR
ADORE GORE SEAN ERMA

Senior & Citizens Complimentary (FREE!) Lunch!
Friday, July 25, 2003
Waterford World's Fair Grounds in the Dance Hall

12 Noon: Registration for Door Prizes
12 Noon: Music by THE FELTS BAND
12:30: Complete sit down lunch served in the Dance Hall
1 pm: Sing-along & Entertainment
1:30: Door Prizes Drawn

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